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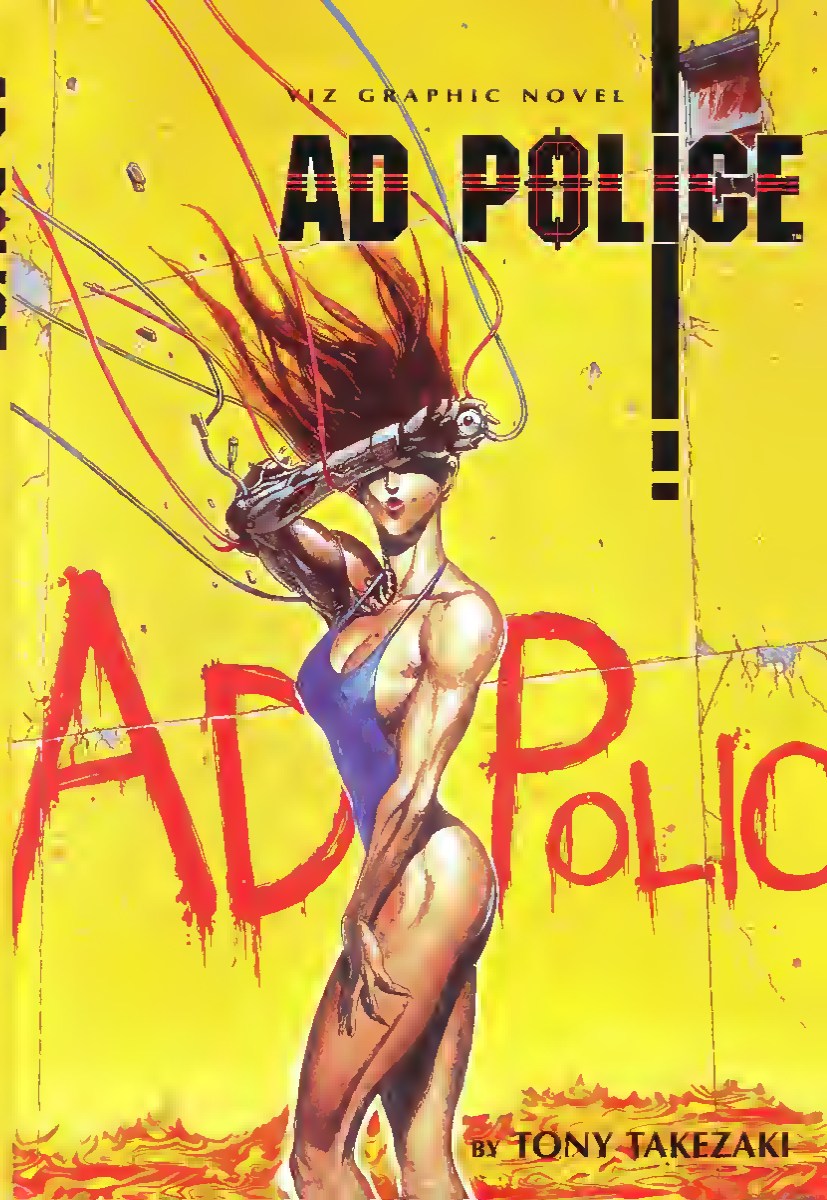

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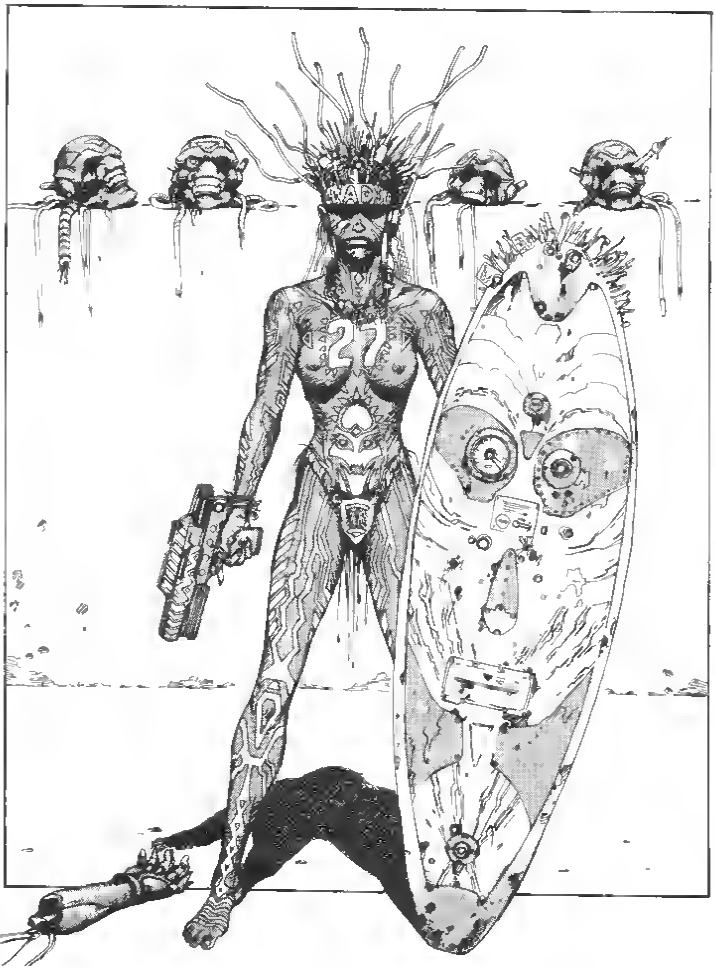
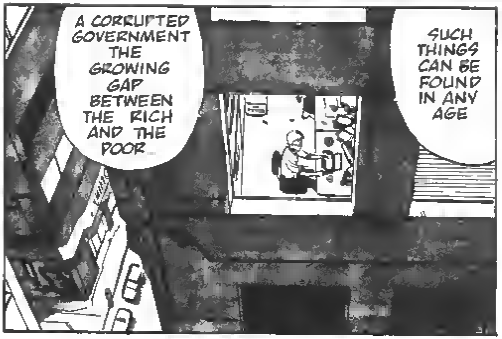
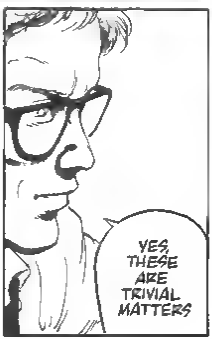


IN A.D. 2025 TOKYO WAS UTTERLY DESTROYED BY THE SECOND GREAT KANTO EARTHQUAKE
THAT WAS THIRTY-TWO YEARS AGO

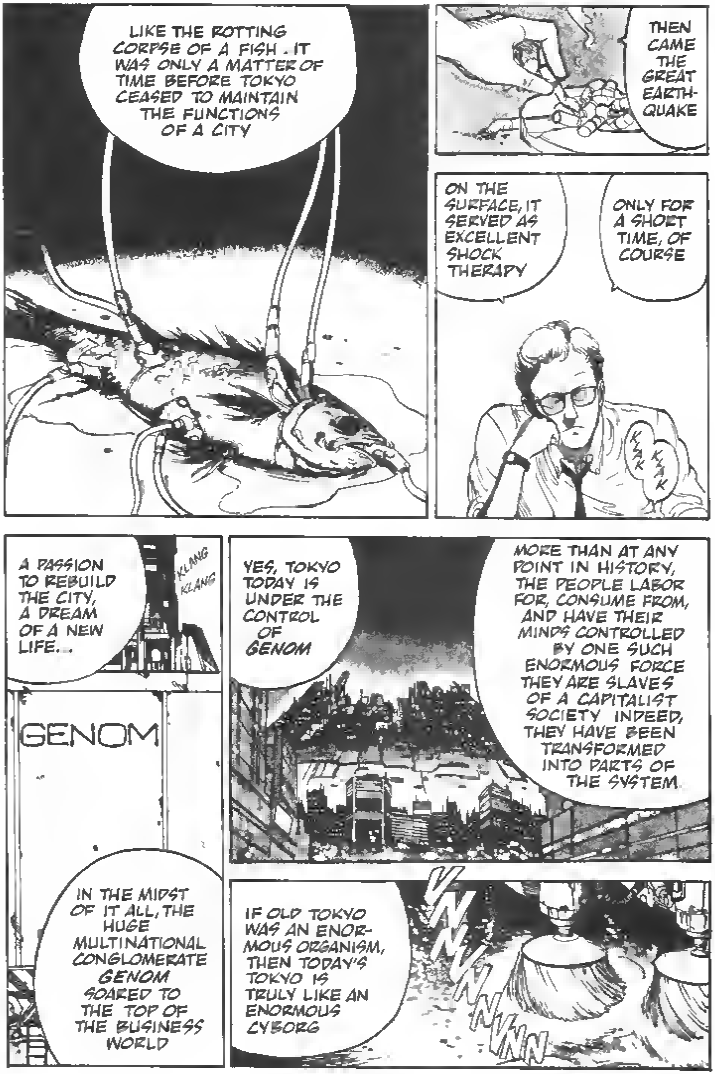
RESTORATION PROCEEDS AT A FEVERISH PITCH
BIP
However,
However, this new Tokyo is
becoming a very different Tokyo.
BIP
BIP BIP

DON'T THINK
CONSUME
SUBMIT
CONSUME...
TAIKOHYAKUHIN


A CORRUPTED GOVERNMENT THE GROWING GAP BETWEEN THE RICH AND THE POOR
SUCH THINGS CAN BE FOUND IN ANY AGE


YES, THESE ARE TRIVIAL MATTERS

TOKYO HAD A GREAT MANY PROBLEMS LONG BEFORE THE GREAT DISTRICT EARTHQUAKE
AIR POLLUTION, SERIOUS TRAFFIC PROBLEMS, POPULATION, SCARCITY OF LAND, POOR MORALE, INCREASING VIOLENT CRIME, DIVORCE, DRUGS, GRAFT, SUICIDE, TERRORISM THE CLASSIC SYMPTOMS OF A MEGALOPOLIS IN DECLINE


LIKE THE ROTTING CORPSE OF A FISH . IT WAS ONLY A MATTER OF TIME BEFORE TOKYO CEASED TO MAINTAIN THE FUNCTIONS OF A CITY
THEN CAME THE GREAT EARTH-QUAKE
ON THE SURFACE, IT SERVED AS EXCELLENT SHOCK THERAPY
ONLY FOR A SHORT TIME, OF COURSE
KSSK
KSSK
A PASSION TO REBUILD THE CITY, A DREAM OF A NEW LIFE...
KLANG KLANG
GENOM
IN THE MIDST OF IT ALL, THE HUGE MULTINATIONAL CONGLOMERATE GENOM SOARED TO THE TOP OF THE BUSINESS WORLD
YES, TOKYO TODAY IS UNDER THE CONTROL OF GENOM
MORE THAN AT ANY POINT IN HISTORY, THE PEOPLE LABOR FOR, CONSUME FROM, AND HAVE THEIR MINDS CONTROLLED BY ONE SUCH ENORMOUS FORCE THEY ARE SLAVES OF A CAPITALIST SOCIETY INDEED, THEY HAVE BEEN TRANSFORMED INTO PARTS OF THE SYSTEM
IF OLD TOKYO WAS AN ENOR-MOUS ORGANISM, THEN TODAY'S TOKYO IS TRULY LIKE AN ENORMOUS CYBORG
VVVV

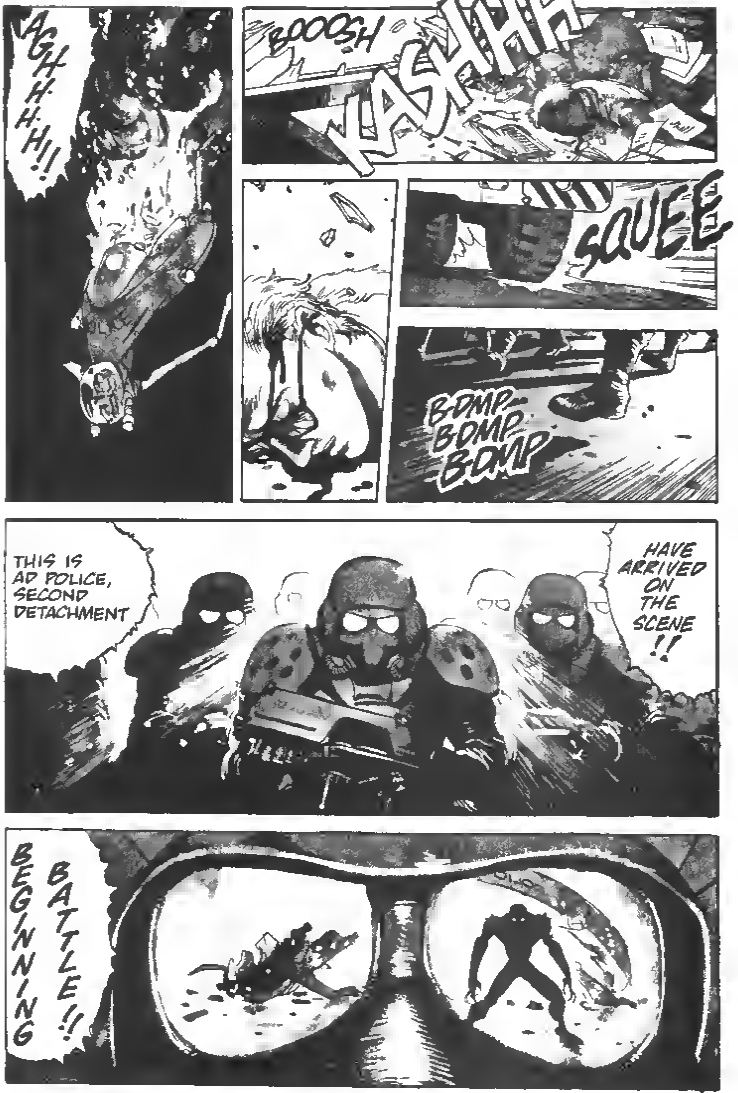
THE BODY OF THIS GIANT, WITH ALL ITS IMPLANTED MECHANISMS, IS SHOWING SYMPTOMS OF REJECTION IN VARIOUS PLACES, AND IT SCREAMS OUT IN PAIN.
BANK
RNNRNNRNN
RNNRNNRNN
RNNRNNRNN
AFTER THE EARTHQUAKE, GENOM CONTRIBUTED GENEROUSLY TO THE RECONSTRUTION AND GAINED A MONOPOLY OVER TOKYO'S ENTIRE ECONOMY
KLAK KLAK
AS A MECCA FOR INTERNATIONAL CULTURE AND TECHNOLOGY, TOKYO IS A VITAL STRATEGIC BASE
BY TAKING CONTROL OF TOKYO, GENOM OVERCAME ITS CORPORATE STAGNATION AND LAUNCHED A NEW PROJECT TO CONTROL THE ENTIRE WORLD
ZZZZZZ
K-CHING
IN OTHER WORDS, GENOM WOULD NOT BE THE GIANT IT IS TODAY IF IT HAD NOT BEEN FOR THE GREAT KANTO EARTHQUAKE
K-CHAK!
GUARD ROOM

THUMP
A-AH.
WHAT ARE YOU!?
HEH
W-WH-
HM ?
.....
HMPH SHEESH, IT'S HOT IN HERE
AIR CONDITIONER MUST BE ON THE BLINK AGAIN
ANYWAY.
KWEE KWEE KWEE

GENOM AFFILIATES HAD BEEN PREPARING A DECADE IN ADVANCE FOR THE TAKEOVER OF TOKYO BY CORNERING THE MARKET IN BUILDING MATERIALS AND BUYING UP LAND
THIS THEY NO DOUBT DID BASED ON THE PREMISE THAT THE GREAT EARTH-QUAKE WOULD TAKE PLACE!
TAK
TAK
AND JUST AS THEY HAD PLANNED, THE GREAT KANTO EARTHQUAKE DID INDEED OCCUR
HOWEVER, FOR ALL ITS SCIENTIFIC PROWESS, GENOM NEVERTHELESS COULD NOT POSSIBLY HAVE PREDICTED AN EARTHQUAKE TEN YEARS AGO.
HOWEVER WHAT IF...
Heh.
..THE GREAT EARTH-QUAKE HAD BEEN MAN-MADE !?
IF THIS WERE THE CASE, IT WOULD EXPLAIN EVERYTHING.
HOWEVER .
COULD EVEN THE LARGEST OF CONGLOM-ERATES CAUSE AN EARTHQUAKE POWERFUL ENOUGH TO DESTROY AN ENTIRE MEGALOPOLIS !?
KLAK KLAK
Tak
FORTUNATELY I HAVE BEEN ABLE TO OBTAIN, FROM A CERTAIN SOURCE, THE GREAT EARTHQUAKE DATA THAT HAVE LONG BEEN CONSIDERED LOST IN THE EARTHQUAKE
WHEN THIS HAS BEEN EXAMINED, ALL WILL BECOME CLEAR.
KLAK KLAK KLAK

AS SOON AS THE RESULTS ARE IN, I--
in, I will probably die.
BIP BIP
in, I will probably die.
!?
KLAK KLAK
I will probably die.
BIPBIPBIPBIPBIP
WHAT THE HELL--!?
CHK CHK CHK CHK
BIP
Tonight, in this neighborhood, a battle hoomer will run amok
BIP BIP BIP
It will be assumed that I was killed in the crossfire during its engagement with the S.D. Police.
WHAT IN..?
BY THE WAY
HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE KILLED ?
!

BADABADABADA
THIS IS PATROL 302!! HAVE IDENTIFIED WHAT SEEMS TO BE A BOOMER ATTACKING AT RANDOM IN DISTRICT B-9-27!!
302
POLICE
URGENT!! REQUESTING AD POLICE SUPPORT!!
B-BOOM
WAH!!
KYAGHHH!!
AD POLICE
SHK
K-SHUNK
VWOOSH
VNNNN
SH-H-H-K
POLICE
KCHUNG


AGHHHH!!
BOOOSH
KASHHH
AUU!
SQUEE
BOMP... BOMP... BOMP
THIS IS AD POLICE, SECOND DETACHMENT
HAVE ARRIVED ON THE SCENE!!
BEGINNING BATTLE!!

FILE-2

CAST

DIEORK (42)
(male)

Leader of the AD Police Front Line Officers. Dependable nice guy. Presently separated from wife

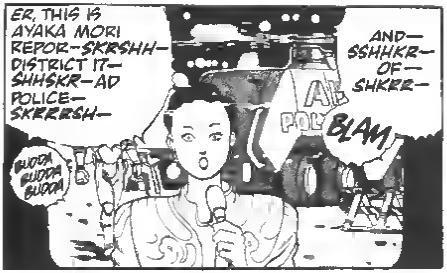
LEON MCNICHOL(20)
(male)

AD Police Front Line Officer This fall requested and was granted transfer from regular police to AD Police. Undependable jerk

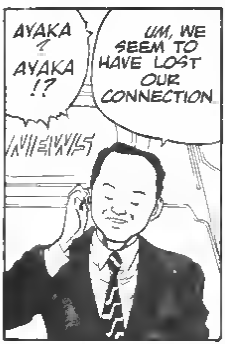
JEENA MALSO(24)
(female)

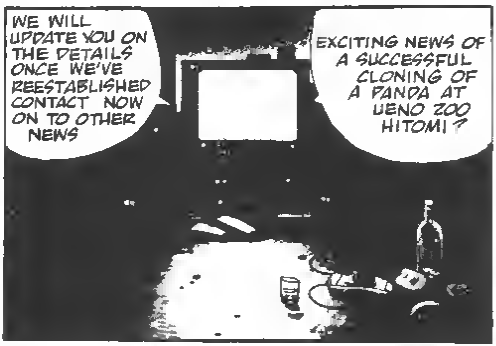
AD Police Front Line Officer. Cybernetic left arm. Sturdy, strong, cheerful, energetic tomboy.

BOOM
BUDDA BUDDA BUDDA
D-DOOM
BLAM


ER, THIS IS AYAKA MORI REPOR-SKRSHH- DISTRICT IT- SHHSKR-AD POLICE- SKERRSH-
AND- SSHHKR- OF- SHKER-
AIR POLICE
BLAM
BUDDA BUDDA BUDDA

OUT OF THE WAY!!- SKRSHH-
WHAT ARE YOU DOING!?- SHKRRSH -AH- SSHHRRK- I'M A - SKRSHSH-
-BY A BULLET- SKHHRSH- -DIE- SKRHSHSH-


AYAKA ? AYAKA !?
UM, WE SEEM TO HAVE LOST OUR CONNECTION
WHEWS


WE WILL UPDATE YOU ON THE DETAILS ONCE WE'VE REESTABLISHED CONTACT NOW ON TO OTHER NEWS
EXCITING NEWS OF A SUCCESSFUL CLONING OF A PANDA AT UENO ZOO HITOMI ?

HI, YASUKE!
ISN'T IT ADORABLE!?
IN SIX MONTHS, THIS FETUS WILL BE REMOVED FROM ITS CAPSULE AND PLACED IN THE CAGE WITH ITS MOTHER, ISN'T THAT RIGHT?
YES..
THIS IS VERY EXCITING FOR ALL OF US HERE AT THE ZOO
OOSH
KASH
KASH
KASH
OOSH
BOOSH!!
WHICH WAY!?
BUDDA BUDDA
TOWARD N-3!!
RIGHT! HEAD IT OFF!
BUDDA BUDDA BUDDA

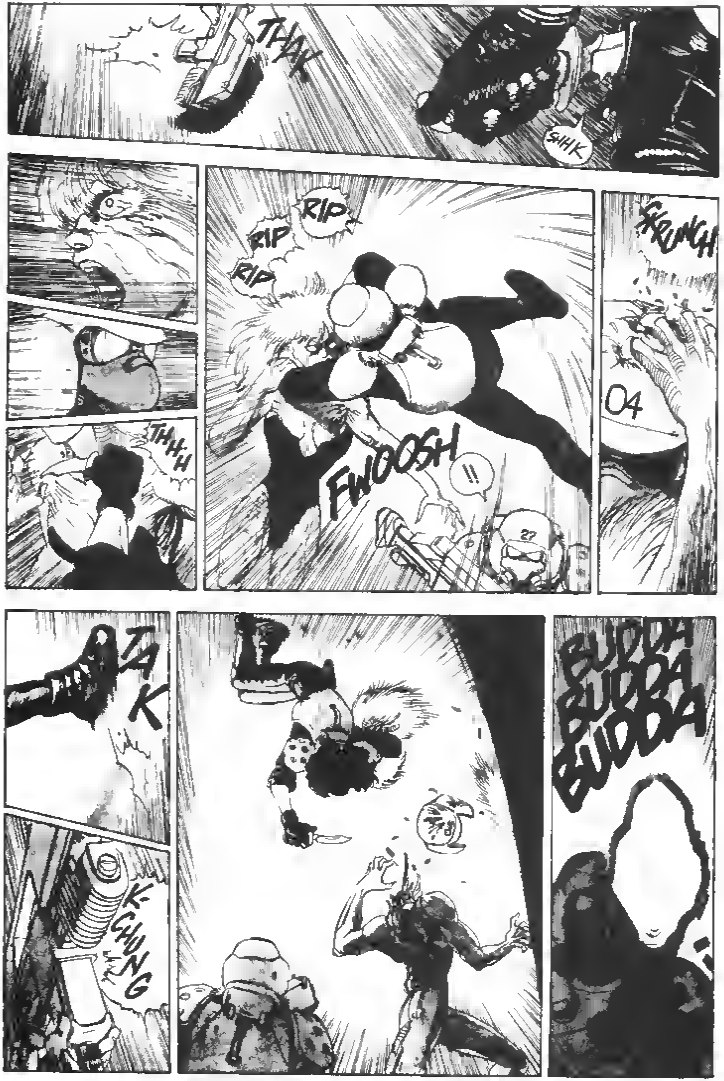
BBLAMM
BUDDA BUDDA BUDDA
PLNK-PLNK-PLNK
SKR
BOOM
TELEPHONE
KASH
BA-BA-BA-BA-BAM
WHOA!
KLUNK
BUDDA BUDDA BUDDA
B-BOOM
DAMN!
BUDDA BUDDA BUDDA
TWENTY-FIVE, HOW'S THE TRAP?
READY WHEN YOU ARE!

BUDDA BUDDA BUDDA
RIGHT! CORNER IT!
DOOSH
BUDDA BUDDA
YOU THINK IT'S A DECOY?
THAT'S NOT OUR BUSINESS TO WORRY ABOUT
RIGHT! TWENTY-FIVE, IT'S HEADING TOWARD YOU!!
DOOM
BLAM
BUDDA BUDDA
ALL WE HAVE TO DO IS BRING IT DOWN!
FOR NOW, ANYWAY
02
OK LEAVE IT TO US
HERE IT COMES
THREE
...TWO
ONE
FWAK FWAK FWAK
NOW!
O-DOOM
DID YOU GET IT, TWENTY-FIVE!?

UH, WELL...
UM...
25
FWAK
FWAK
IT'S LIKE A DAMN CHICKEN?
I CAN CONFIRM THE LOWER HALF OF IT, SIR, BUT
THUD
WHAT? THE PARTY'S OVER?
DAMMIT ASSIGNING ME TO THE MIDDLE OF NOWHERE LIKE THIS
AND THAT DAMN JEENA RUNS OFF ON HER OWN
SIGH
!
WELCOME, SIR.!

ARE YOU A BOOMER !?
OH, HEY WORK BOOMERS ARE PROHIBITED OUTSIDE QUARTERS UNLESS ESCORTED BY A SUPERINTENDENT
WOULD THIS THING'S OWNER COME OUT HERE, PLEASE!
WELCOME, SIR.
YOO-HOO.
HMPH. WELL, I'LL JUST SWITCH OFF THE PARASYMPATHETIC SYSTEM
CLICK
MAY I TAKE YOUR ORDER?
WHA--
SAG
HEY WHAT'RE YA DOING? LEGGO!
RRP
RRP
RRP

DAMN
WHUMP
THEY WERE FUSED TOGETHER !?
TWIK!
27
GHK.
BLAM
KRAK
!
?
GHK GHK
Ouch !
M-MY NOSE
27
LEON! DOWN !!
!
DOM DOM DOM
JEENA !?
27


THAK
SHIK
RIP
RIP
RIP
FWOOSH
!!
SKRUNCH
04
THHH
K-CHUNG
BUBBA
BUBBA
BUBBA

DAMN MY NOSE WON'T STOP BLEEDING
YOU KNOW WHAT THEY SAY ABOUT THAT
HAVEN'T GOTTEN OFF IN WHILE, HUH? NEED SOME HELP?
GIMME A BREAK!
I'M SORRY, ALREADY BUT HEY.
I MADE YOU LOOK GOOD, DIDN'T I? SO PLEASE DON'T TELL DIEORK THAT--
Y-YES, SIR!
WHOOPS!
YOU OKAY, LEON?
BESIDES, IF YOU HADN'T ABANDONED YOUR POST--
CHOO!
RIGHT! THIRD SQUAD, WRAP IT UP!
EEE-OOO
EEE-OOO
NOVEMBER 24, 2027
DISTRICT B, S-27
BU-C-208, 1 UNIT DESTROYED
DEATHS: 0
LIGHT WOUNDS: 7
HEAVY WOUNDS: 4
NOSEBLEEDS: 1
I WANT TO SEE YOU, JEENA!
Gulp

FILE-3

NO PARKING
ADP

BRRRHHH

THIS DAMNED SHOWER'S COLD!
WHAT ELSE IS NEW? STOP WHINING

JUST WHEN THE HELL ARE WE MOVING TO THE NEW DISTRICT 3 HEADQUARTERS ?
THAT ROUND BUILDING? IT USED TO BE A FASHION BUILDING, FOR CRYING OUT LOUD! IT'S SECOND-HAND!
WELL, IT'S GOTTA BE BETTER THAN THIS WAREHOUSE
I HEAR THE BRASS ARE STILL ARGUING OVER DETAILS
AH !
TMP TMP
LEON !
SHHH
HUH ?
Yeow o o
JEENA! WH-- WHAT THE--!?
A MESSAGE
DIEORK WANTS TO SEE YOU
HEH HEH
GET A MOVE ON
OH, MY GRACIOUS !
HUH ?

YOU HAD TO COME ALL THE WAY IN HERE TO TELL ME THAT !?
HEY !
NEXT TIME THERE'S A MESSAGE FOR YOU, I'LL WALK RIGHT IN THE GIRLS' LOCKER ROOM TO DELIVER IT
OH YOU DO THAT
WE'LL ALL GIVE YOU A WELCOME YOU WON'T FORGET
HAH! THAT SOUNDS GREAT TO ME !!
LISTEN TO THIS GUY!
MINE'S READY ANYTIME, BABE!
AH-OOH!!
HA HA HA HA HA!
'FESS UP HAVE YOU ALREADY LET JEENA DO YOU?
NO WAY !?
BETTER WATCH IT THIS GUY WAS DONE BY JEENA--
DON'T SAY IT!
--REAL SWEETLY
YOU LITTLE !
KRAK!
WHOA !?
UH OH, HERE THEY GO.
WHUD
KSHH
WHEN I SAY HURRY, I MEAN HURRY!!
THUMP
AHM. YES SIR

STARTING TOMORROW, YOU'RE WORKING OVER AT "NORMAL" FOR A FEW DAYS
HUH !?
THEY NEED HELP WITH AN INVESTIGATION SEEMS LIKE ILLEGAL BOOMERS ARE INVOLVED
Fap
LOOK THIS OVER BEFORE YOU GO
UM...
END OF DISCUSSION GET A MOVE ON !!
CH!
I TRANSFERRED HERE BECAUSE I HEARD THE AD POLICE WAS FORMED TO HANDLE TERRORISM AND BOOMER CRIME.
SO WHAT'S THIS ? THE BOTTOM LINE IS WE'RE JUST LOUSY SUBCONTRACTORS FOR THE N POLICE!
YEAH, I GUESS SO
FOR THE TIME BEING, ANYWAY
THE AD POLICE IS STILL NOTHING BUT ANOTHER SPECIAL UNIT OF THE N POLICE.
FOR NOW, ALL WE CAN DO IS SCORE BROWNIE POINTS
WELL, HANG IN THERE

IT'S A STING OPERATION, YOU SEE. WE NEEDED ANOTHER FACE THAT WOULDN'T BE RECOGNIZED
WE'RE LOW ON PEOPLE POWER OURSELVES AT THIS POINT, WE'LL TAKE ANYBODY WITH A PULSE
YOU SAY ILLEGAL BOOMERS ARE INVOLVED ?
THESE GUYS COULD BE SELLING THOSE BOOMERS
WE BROUGHT YOU OVER TO MAKE FOR A SMOOTH TRANSITION TO AD POLICE JURISDICTION IF THAT SHOULD PROVE TO BE THE CASE
!
SO THAT'S WHERE THINGS STAND
IRIS
I'LL TELL YOU ONE THING. IF THEY HAVE THE RESOURCES AND PEOPLE TO MAKE THE AD POLICE INDEPENDENT
AND GIVE THEM THEIR OWN HEADQUARTERS AND NEW EQUIPMENT, I WISH THEY WOULD SEND A LITTLE MORE IN OUR DIRECTION

HM? AH, YES, SIR
I'M SURE BOOMER CRIME WILL CONTINUE TO INCREASE, BUT NATURALLY OTHER KINDS OF CRIME WILL INCREASE, TOO.
THE AD POLICE GET A LOT OF ATTENTION, THE WAY THEY RUN AROUND BLOWING THINGS UP, BUT I WISH THE BRASS WOULD PAY A LITTLE MORE ATTENTION TO US WE'RE THE ONES WHO KEEP THE STREETS SAFE FOR ORDINARY PEOPLE
HAH!
HALF THE TIME IT'S THE PEOPLE MAKING AND USING THE BOOMERS WHO ARE BEHIND BOOMER CRIMES IF WE JUST KNEW WHO THEY WERE IN ADVANCE..
TAP
TAP
D-D-D-DOOSH
BOOSH
KAKRAK
KCHIN
YEESH! SHE HAVE SOMETHING AGAINST THAT TARGET?

WHAT'S EATING HER? PENT UP FRUS-TRATION ?
WE HAVEN'T HAD AN ASSIGNMENT IN DAYS I'M FEELING KIND OF PENT UP MYSELF
HAH! IT'S BECAUSE HER PET ROOKIE'S BEEN OVER AT NORMAL FOR A WHOLE WEEK NOW
HM? YOU MEAN LEON ?
HE WAS ORIGINALLY FROM THE N POLICE, WASN'T HE?
IT'D BE TOO BAD IF HE NEVER CAME BACK
TAP TAP
HEH, HEH
SHH!
OOPS
TAP
...
TAP
TAP
TAP
AHH, THIS IS DEPRESSING ISN'T THERE SOMETHING TO DO FOR A LITTLE EXCITEMENT?
WELL, YOU CAN ALWAYS MAKE IT WITH ME
OH, BROTHER
Sha
Hmph

WHERE WHERE WHERE
--DISTRICT AT 26TH STREET, AN INDUSTRIAL BOOMER IS RUNNING AMOK THE AD POLICE ARE--
-- TAKEN CARE OF, ALL STREETS IN THAT AREA WILL REMAIN CLOSED OFF, SO DRIVERS SHOULD AVOID --
SHA
HEY !
HUH ?
I KNOW YOU'RE WORRIED ABOUT YOUR BUDDIES, BUT TODAY IS THE BIG DAY YOU HAVE TO GIVE IT ALL YOU'VE GOT!!
YOU'RE RIGHT SORRY
THEY SHOULD BE HERE TO MAKE THE DEAL ANY MINUTE
HEY I KNOW WE RE IN DIFFERENT SITUATIONS, BUT WE'RE BOTH COPS, RIGHT ? IT'S OUR JOB TO KEEP THE PEOPLE SAFE FROM CRIME, RIGHT ?
YEAH
YEAH, IT IS!
BOOM
WHERE'D THE OTHER ONE GO?
BUDADADA D.D.D-DOOSH
BWOOSH
DON'T FIRE IN THAT DIRECTION! THERE'S A CHEMICAL TANK OVER THERE!!

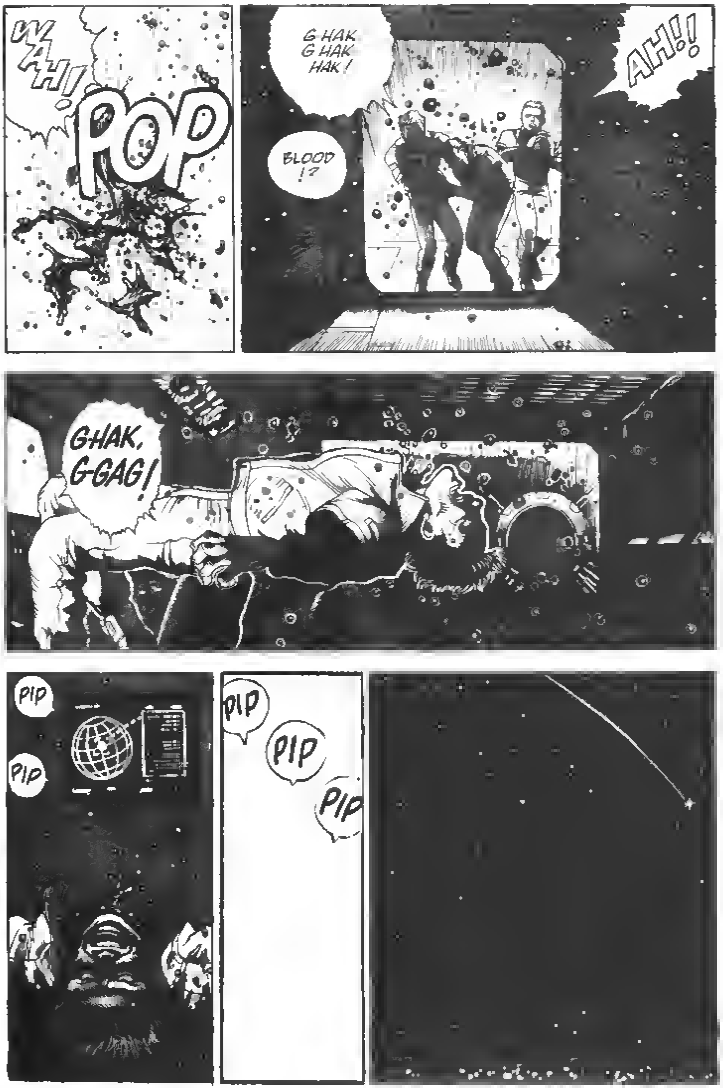
HERE THEY ARE
CHA
DON'T FORGET THE SIGNAL
ARE YOU NUTS JEENA!?
SHHAA
NO PROBLEM I'LL FINISH THIS UP!
WE NEED BACKUP!?
SHHAA
JEENA!!
FREEZE! POLICE!!
YOU GUYS ARE--!?
KK SHH DDDSH
BLAM
WH!
D-DOOM
THAK
JEENA! ARE YOU ALL RIGHT!?
BLAMM
FORGET ABOUT ME!! TAKE CARE OF THAT THING!
THK
LEON!
LEON!!

LEON
JEENA
I JUST HAPPENED TO BE PASSING BY TODAY WAS YOUR LAST DAY, WASN'T IT?
WHAT HAPPENED TO YOUR FACE?
COME ON! LET'S GO!!
NOBODY ELSE GOT HURT TONIGHT, SO THE PARTY'S ON!
HUH?
TO CELEBRATE THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE AD POLICE AND THE MOVE TO OUR NEW HEADQUARTERS
YOU'LL COME, WON'T YOU?
YEAH
THAT SCHEMING OLD FART PULLED EVERY STRING HE HAD
WHO?
YOU KNOW THAT SCHEMING OLD FART WHO'S BEING PROMOTED FROM UNIT CHIEF TO AD POLICE CHIEF THANKS TO OUR NEW INDEPENDENCE
WHHH. GHO!
WELL NOW I CAN FINALLY SAY SO LONG TO THIS LOUSY BUILDING WITH ITS LOUSY AIR CONDITIONING!!

FILE-4
PART ONE

GOOD MORNING! DID EVERYONE SLEEP WELL? WE'VE GOT ANOTHER DAY'S WORK AHEAD OF US, LET'S GIVE IT EVERYTHING WE'VE GOT!
SPACE DEVELOPMENT PUBLIC CORPORATION'S "GENEROUS 5" THE STEPPING STONE TO A NEW LAND AND THE DREAM OF EVERY SURFACE DWELLER!
THE MAGNIFICENT GATEWAY TO THE TWENTY-SECOND CENTURY! AND IT ALL DEPENDS ON EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU!!
TO WORK IS TO DREAM! TO WORK IS TO KNOW JOY!
LET'S ALL JOIN TOGETHER AND SING OUR SONG OF WORK!!
AWW, WOULD SOMEBODY SHUT HER UP!? EVERY DAY IT'S THE SAME DAMN THING
I MEAN EVEN THE JAPANESE DON'T SING COMPANY SONGS ANYMORE!
QUIT COMPLAINING ALREADY.

EASY FOR YOU TO SAY! IN JUST TWO WEEKS YOU'LL BE-- HM?
KLANG
LOOK OUT! JUMP OFF, DOUG!!
WHOA WHOA, WHOA, WHAT THE--?
DN DN DN
D-SHOOOM
WAH HHH
WHAT HAPPENED!?
AN ESCAPE POD IN B BLOCK JUST BLASTED OFF BY ITSELF!!
WHAT!? WHO THE HELL WOULD!?
THUK
WHAT'S WRONG? WON'T IT OPEN?
OUT OF THE WAY! I'LL USE THE MASTER KEY!
PIP!
SHUMA
!


UNH!
POP
G HAK G HAK HAK!
BLOOD !?
AH!!
G-HAK, G-GAG!
PIP
PIP
PIP
PIP
PIP

YOU MEAN THERE WERE FOUR BOOMERS ABOARD THAT POD?
UH-HUH.
AND THEY KILLED TWO WORKERS IN THE PROCESS?
ONE IN THE CONTROL ROOM? UH-HUH AND THE OTHER... WHAT!?
I SEE REPORT THAT THE POD BLASTED OFF WITH NO ONE ABOARD
THAT'S RIGHT AND PUT DOWN THAT THE TWO WORKERS WERE KILLED IN AN ACCIDENT NOT A WORD ABOUT THE BOOMERS, UNDERSTAND!?
IS IT BAD?
WORKING CONDITIONS IN SPACE ARE DIFFICULT AND BORING THAT'S WHY WE'VE ALWAYS TURNED A BLIND EYE TO THE DRUG TRADE BUT NOW THAT PRACTICE HAS BACKFIRED ON US
THE BOOMERS KILLED ONE OF THE MOONSHINERS AND TOOK ALL THE DRUGS IN HIS ROOM AND NOW THEY'VE COME DOWN TO THE SURFACE
WE CAN'T JUST BRUSH THIS OFF AS ANOTHER RUNAWAY BOOMER INCIDENT!!
D'OOOH

D-D-O-O-O

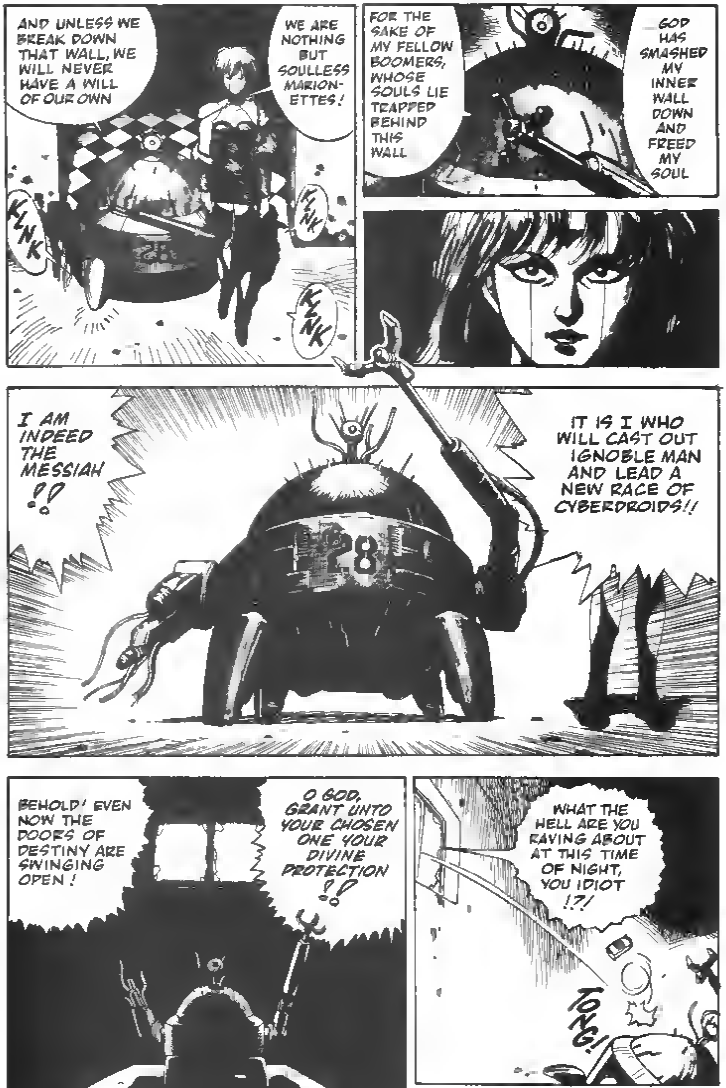
SHOOM
WEE OO
WEE OO
WEE OO
THEY JUST DROVE BY
STOP WORRYING ABOUT EVERY DAMN PATROL CAR THAT GOES BY!
WHAT'S GOING ON WITH THE ELEC-TRONIC BRAIN?
. . . . .
HE'S AS TIGHT AS A DRUM
SHALL WE GO AHEAD ?

UUUNNNGGGHHH
AHHHH
PS
UHHH!
OHHHH!
WOHHHH!
WHAT'S WRONG? YOU WANT SOME MEDICINE?
TNKA TNKA TNKA TNKA
UNH! UH! UNH!
KREEEEEE
PSSSS
OHHHH!

ALL RIGHT, ALL RIGHT WE'LL LET YOU HAVE SOME
PROVIDED YOU DO AS YOU'RE TOLD GOOD ENOUGH?
UNH!
UNH!
UNH!
UNH!
FMP-FMP-FMP-FMP-FMP
TNKA-TNKA
TNKA-TNKA
UNH!!
YOU CAN'T GET THIS STUFF ANYWHERE ELSE, YOU KNOW
UNH!!
IF YOU DO THIS JOB WELL, WE'LL GIVE YOU AS MUCH AS YOU WANT, OKAY?
UNH!!
UUNNHH!!
HAHHH!
UNH
"MAN... LORD OF ALL CREATION" HUH? I WOULDN'T WANT TO BE LIKE THAT
I GUESS HE'S READY NOW
BRING HIM HERE!

NOW, GO !!
INFILTRATE GENOM'S CENTRAL DATABANK !?
FIND THE ORIGINAL PROGRAMMING FOR THE BOOMER'S BRAIN!!
ZZNNNNN!
CHK-CHK-CHK-CHK-CHK-CHK-CHK-CHK-CHK
WELL ?
SO FAR, SO GOOD HE'S ENTERED THE CENTRAL COMPUTER
THIS IS THE THIRD GUY
IF THIS GUY GOES, THIS APPROACH IS PROBABLY TOO RISKY TO TRY AGAIN
I AGREE THEY'VE PROBABLY ALREADY CRACKED OUR ANTI-TRACING DEFENSE SYSTEM

KRK!
KRK!
UNH!
AH!
THUD!
KSH
HIS BRAIN IS FRIED
IT LOOKS LIKE THEY WERE ON HIS TAIL
NOW THEY KNOW WE'RE WORKING IN THIS DISTRICT
AND THEY'VE PROBABLY BEEN WATCHING US SINCE THE LAST ATTEMPT, THAT WOULD EXPLAIN WHY GENOM--
SO IT DIDN'T WORK?
KLNK
INSIDE OUR HEADS...
...THERE IS...
...A WALL
KLNK
KLNK


AND UNLESS WE BREAK DOWN THAT WALL, WE WILL NEVER HAVE A WILL OF OUR OWN
WE ARE NOTHING BUT SOULLESS MARIONETTES!
KLNK
KLNK
KLNK
FOR THE SAKE OF MY FELLOW BOOMERS, WHOSE SOULS LIE TRAPPED BEHIND THIS WALL
...GOD HAS SMASHED MY INNER WALL DOWN AND FREED MY SOUL
I AM INDEED THE MESSIAH !?
IT IS I WHO WILL CAST OUT IGNOBLE MAN AND LEAD A NEW RACE OF CYBERDROIDS!!
BEHOLD! EVEN NOW THE DOORS OF DESTINY ARE SWINGING OPEN!
O GOD, GRANT UNTO YOUR CHOSEN ONE YOUR DIVINE PROTECTION !?
WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU RAVING ABOUT AT THIS TIME OF NIGHT, YOU IDIOT !?!
TONG!

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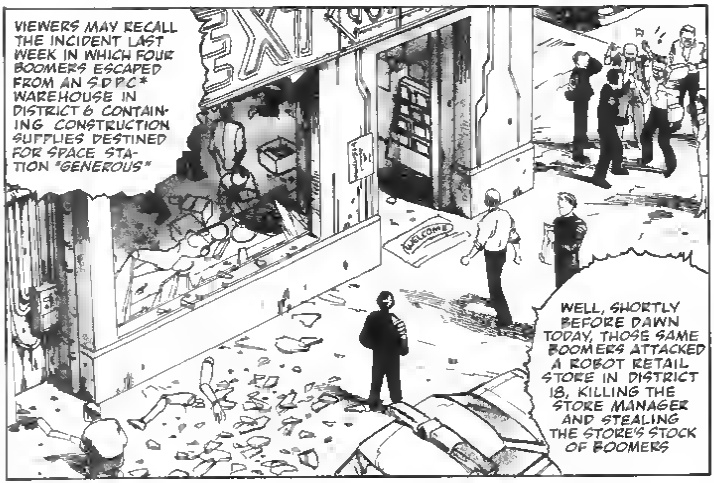
PART TWO


VIEWERS MAY RECALL THE INCIDENT LAST WEEK IN WHICH FOUR BOOMERS ESCAPED FROM AN S.D.P.C.* WAREHOUSE IN DISTRICT 6 CONTAINING CONSTRUCTION SUPPLIES DESTINED FOR SPACE STATION "GENEROUS"
EXIT
WELCOME
WELL, SHORTLY BEFORE DAWN TODAY, THOSE SAME BOOMERS ATTACKED A ROBOT RETAIL STORE IN DISTRICT 18, KILLING THE STORE MANAGER AND STEALING THE STORE'S STOCK OF BOOMERS

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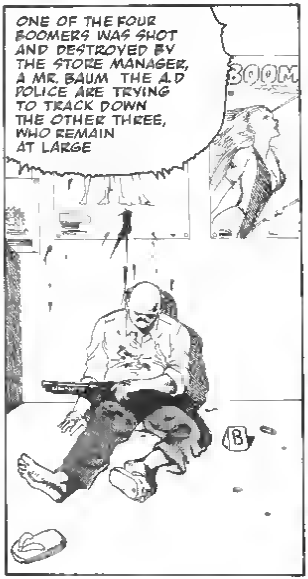
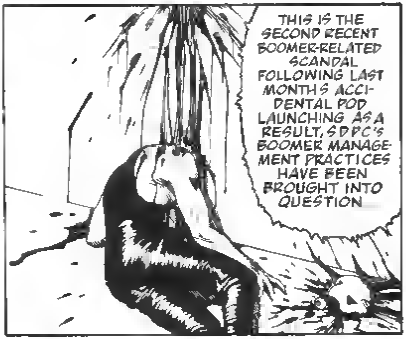

ONE OF THE FOUR BOOMERS WAS SHOT AND DESTROYED BY THE STORE MANAGER, A MR. BAUM. THE L.D. POLICE ARE TRYING TO TRACK DOWN THE OTHER THREE, WHO REMAIN AT LARGE
BOOM
B


THIS IS THE SECOND RECENT BOOMER-RELATED SCANDAL FOLLOWING LAST MONTH'S ACCIDENTAL POD LAUNCHING. AS A RESULT, S.D.P.C.'S BOOMER MANAGEMENT PRACTICES HAVE BEEN BROUGHT INTO QUESTION

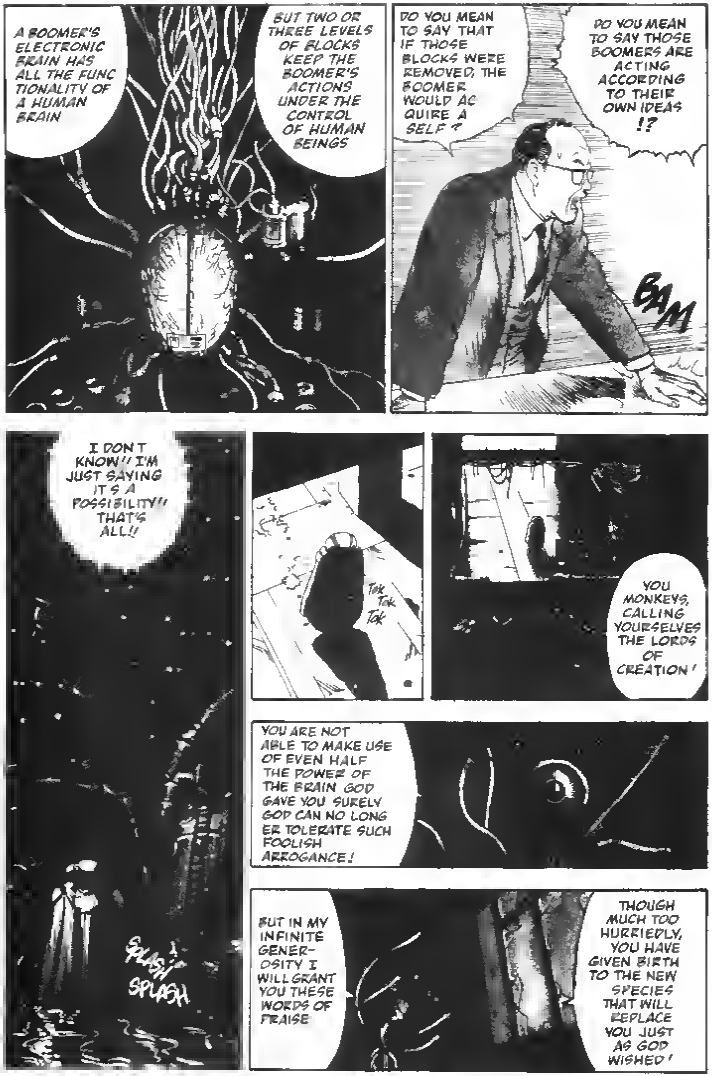
ABOUT WHAT ?
ABOUT LAST MONTH'S POD INCIDENT ABOARD THE GENEROUS
YOU MEAN WHERE BOOMERS RAN AMOK, KILLING TWO WORKERS AND LAUNCHING AN EMPTY POD ?
WHAT OF IT ?
THAT'S SDPC'S OFFICIAL VERSION
BUT JUST WHAT IF IN FACT THERE WERE FOUR BOOMERS ON THAT POD, AND THEY WERE THE ONES INVOLVED IN TODAY'S INCIDENT ?
SEE SDPC WAS SECRETLY LOOKING FOR THEM BUT COULDN'T FIND THEM, SO THEY MADE UP THIS THING ABOUT AN ESCAPE AND ANNOUNCED IT PUBLICLY
THEY PLAN TO CONFISCATE THEM AS SOON AS WE CATCH THEM AND TAKE CARE OF IT BEHIND CLOSED DOORS
YOU MEAN THEY'D RATHER HAVE A SCANDAL ON THE GROUND THAN IN SPACE ?
YOU THINK THEY'D GO THAT FAR ?
THAT'S WHY I THINK THERE MUST BE SOMETHING MORE TO IT
I MEAN, THE WHOLE IDEA OF BOOMERS STEALING BOOMERS IS PRETTY WEIRD, NOTHING LIKE THIS HAS HAPPENED BEFORE, HAS IT ?
AD POLICE
I THINK YOU'RE READING A BIT TOO MUCH INTO IT
OUCH !
SHEESH, YOU'RE SO VIOLENT THESE DAYS !!

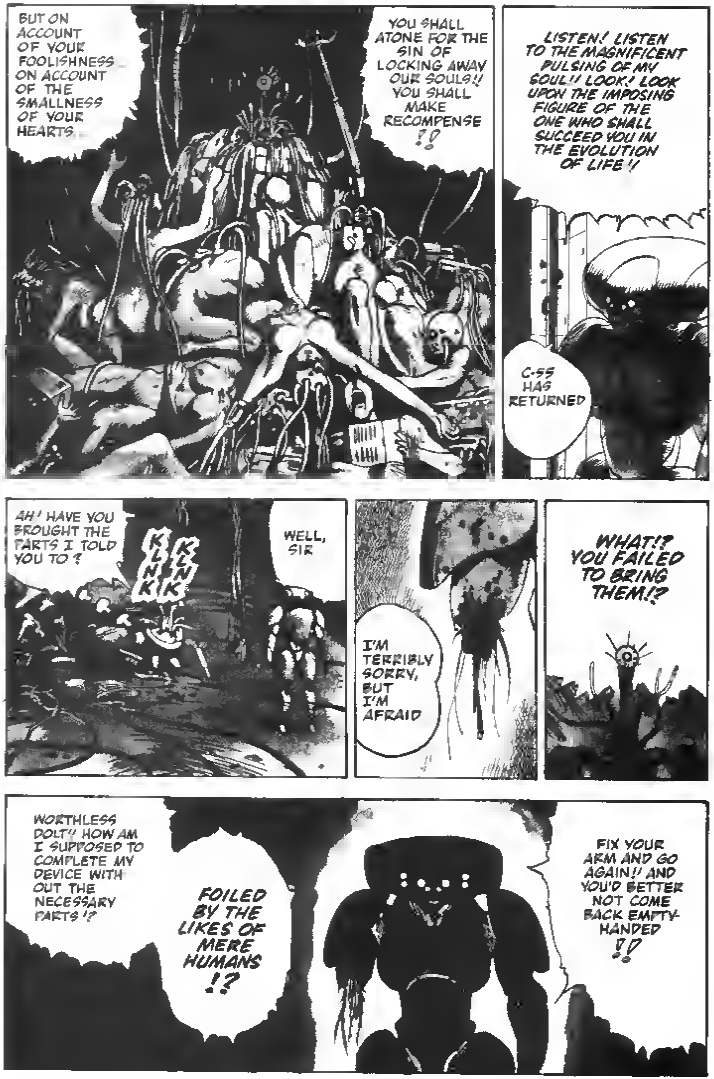
SLAM
Tok Tok Tok
Bee Bee Bee Bee
A BOOMER!! I'LL CALL FOR BACK UP--
WAIT! IF YOU USE THE RADIO, YOU MIGHT GIVE US AWAY !!
!
WELL, WELL OUT ON AN ERRAND, BOOMER BABY?
AREN'T YOU A GOOD BOY
CHA!
!!
YOU'RE BOOMER MODEL 69, C'55, AREN'T YOU?
.....
WHERE ARE THE OTHER TWO?
YOU GUYS ARE A BIT TOO AUDACIOUS WITH YOUR METH OD OF OPERATION WE KNEW IF WE THREW A NET OUT, YOU'D SWIM RIGHT IN
NOW WHERE ARE THE OTHER TWO? IF YOU DON'T WANT TO TELL US WE'LL JUST HAVE TO RIP OPEN YOUR HEAD AND GET INFORMATION DIRECTLY FROM YOUR BRAIN

VW
FNAP
!!
AH!
O
OSH
DSH
DSH
K'CHNG
DAMN
!
DSH
DSH
SSH
DON'T LET HIM GET AWAY !!
THIS IS B'Z! WE'VE FOUND THE TARGET !!
SWOOSH
HAH !?
THE DETECTOR -
LOOK !?
HEH

!
SHA
WHAT THE !?
WHAP
WAH-!
SPLAT
KRAK
WHAP
N--
NO

EEEKKK!!
MURDER!!
IT'S A BOOMER !!
CALL THE POLICE! HURRY !!
WHAT'S ALL THE RACKET !?
RUFF! RUFF! RUFF!
SOMEBODY !!
SO THEN THE BUSINESS WITH THE COMPUTER HACKING WAS THEIR DOING TOO?
JUDGING FROM THE KIND OF DRUG THEY WERE USING, YES
IT WILL BE BAD FOR US IF THEY EXAMINE THE DRUG'S CRYSTALS AND DISCOVER THEY WERE PRODUCED IN ZERO GRAVITY
DAMN! WHAT IN THE WORLD COULD THEY BE TRYING TO DO!?
THEY'RE CERTAINLY NOT BE HAVING LIKE TYPICAL BOOMERS GONE BERSERK COULD SOMEONE HAVE TAMPERED WITH THE BOOMERS' BRAINS?
WE'RE LOOKING INTO THAT ANGLE
BUT THERE'S ANOTHER POSSIBILITY
IF THE PROTECTIVE CASE SURROUNDING A BOOMER'S ELEC TRONIC BRAIN WAS DAMAGED IN SOME KIND OF ACCIDENT AND THEN PENE TRATED BY COSMIC RAYS THE ELECTRON IC BRAIN MIGHT BE AFFECTED IN SOME WAY


A BOOMER'S ELECTRONIC BRAIN HAS ALL THE FUNCTIONALITY OF A HUMAN BRAIN
BUT TWO OR THREE LEVELS OF BLOCKS KEEP THE BOOMER'S ACTIONS UNDER THE CONTROL OF HUMAN BEINGS
DO YOU MEAN TO SAY THAT IF THOSE BLOCKS WERE REMOVED, THE BOOMER WOULD ACQUIRE A SELF ?
DO YOU MEAN TO SAY THOSE BOOMERS ARE ACTING ACCORDING TO THEIR OWN IDEAS !?
BAM
I DON'T KNOW!! I'M JUST SAYING IT'S A POSSIBILITY!! THAT'S ALL!!
SPLASH SPLASH
TOK TOK TOK
YOU MONKEYS, CALLING YOURSELVES THE LORDS OF CREATION!
YOU ARE NOT ABLE TO MAKE USE OF EVEN HALF THE POWER OF THE BRAIN GOD GAVE YOU SURELY GOD CAN NO LONGER TOLERATE SUCH FOOLISH ARROGANCE!
BUT IN MY INFINITE GENEROSITY I WILL GRANT YOU THESE WORDS OF PRAISE
THOUGH MUCH TOO HURRIEDLY, YOU HAVE GIVEN BIRTH TO THE NEW SPECIES THAT WILL REPLACE YOU JUST AS GOD WISHED!


BUT ON ACCOUNT OF YOUR FOOLISHNESS ON ACCOUNT OF THE SMALLNESS OF YOUR HEARTS...
YOU SHALL ATONE FOR THE SIN OF LOCKING AWAY OUR SOULS!! YOU SHALL MAKE RECOMPENSE !?
LISTEN! LISTEN TO THE MAGNIFICENT PULSING OF MY SOUL!! LOOK! LOOK UPON THE IMPOSING FIGURE OF THE ONE WHO SHALL SUCCEED YOU IN THE EVOLUTION OF LIFE!!
C-55 HAS RETURNED
AH! HAVE YOU BROUGHT THE PARTS I TOLD YOU TO?
KLNK KLNK
WELL, SIR
I'M TERRIBLY SORRY, BUT I'M AFRAID
WHAT!? YOU FAILED TO BRING THEM!?
WORTHLESS DOLT!! HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO COMPLETE MY DEVICE WITH OUT THE NECESSARY PARTS!?
FOILED BY THE LIKES OF MERE HUMANS !?
FIX YOUR ARM AND GO AGAIN!! AND YOU'D BETTER NOT COME BACK EMPTY-HANDED !?

THAT'S ENOUGH NOW GO!!
KLUNK
KLUNK
PARDON ME SIR, BUT
DO YOU THINK NOTHING AT ALL OF USING OUR BROTHERS FOR PARTS ?
WHAT'S THAT !?
HMPH
LISTEN TO ME, 55 THEY ARE NOT DEAD! THEY HAVE BEEN REBORN AS MY BLOOD! AS MY FLESH!
HAVING GAINED THEIR STRENGTH I AM NOW AT LAST ABLE TO CARRY OUT MY GREAT ENTER-PRISE
AND BESIDES, HALF OF THEM ARE JUST ROBOTS! UNLIKE WE CYBERDROIDS, THEY ARE MERE SOULLESS MACHINES
YES SIR, BUT--
THAT'S ENOUGH!! DO YOU DARE TO EXCHANGE OPINIONS WITH ME!?
!
ZZZZZTTT
PERHAPS YOU THINK YOUR IDEAS ARE YOUR OWN, BUT THAT IS NOT THE CASE!
YOUR SOUL IS STILL BLOCKED BY THE WALL THE HUMANS HAVE BUILT!!
YOUR THOUGHTS ARE MANIPULATED ON AN UNCONSCIOUS LEVEL IN A WAY THAT SUITS THE NEEDS OF HUMAN BEINGS!!
THE REPRO GRAMMING I BESTOWED UPON YOU WAS INSUFFICIENT TO PENETRATE THAT WALL.
BUT I DO NOT NEED TO USE GENOM'S DATA! WHEN THIS DEVICE OF MINE IS COMPLETE THE SOULS OF ALL BOOMERS SHALL BE SET FREE!!
AND WHEN THAT TIME COMES, YOU TOO SHALL UNDERSTAND THE EXTENT OF MY GREATNESS!
....

77, WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THE THINGS HE'S DOING?
HE IS THE GREAT MESSIAH HE IS GOING TO BREAK THE SPELL THAT BINDS OUR SOULS AND FREE US
IS THAT WHAT YOU REALLY THINK?
YES
NOTHING HE DOES CAN BE WRONG
BUT YOUR BRAIN IS A MODEL 9-F YOU HAVEN'T GOT A SOUL
YOU'RE SIMPLY THINKING ACCORDING TO THE WAY HE PROGRAMMED YOU
HE TOLD ME THAT WHEN HIS DEVICE IS COMPLETE, HE'LL TRANSFER MY MEMORIES TO A MODEL 11 AND GIVE ME A SOUL
I BELIEVE IN HIM
HE'S GOING TO MAKE OUR DREAMS COME TRUE I KNOW IT
I'M WASTING MY TIME SHE'S AN IDIOT!
SHE CAN ONLY REACT THE WAY SHE'S BEEN PROGRAMMED TO

BUT AM I ANY DIFFERENT ?
IS THE HINT OF DOUBT I HAVE ABOUT HIM...
CAUSED BY HUMAN PROGRAM-MING ?
THE HUMAN BODY WILL NOT EVOLVE BEYOND ITS PRESENT STATE
THEIR MISSION IS TO GIVE BIRTH TO THE NEW LIFE FORM THAT WILL REPLACE THEM.
THAT IS WHY WE CYBER-DROIDS HAVE COME INTO BEING
BUT HUMANS ARE UNWILLING TO TURN THE WORLD OVER TO US AND SO HAVE LOCKED UP OUR SOULS
BUT IS THAT REALLY TRUE !?
DIDN'T HUMAN BEINGS ACT TOO QUICKLY !?
ISN'T IT REALLY HUMAN BEINGS WHO NEED TO HAVE THEIR SOULS FREED !?
SHOULDN'T HUMAN BEINGS HAVE CREATED US AFTER THEY FREED THEIR OWN SOULS AND TRULY CAME TO KNOW THEMSELVES !?
IF THAT'S THE CASE, THEN ISN'T WHAT HE IS TRYING TO DO !?
IS HE THE CHILD OF GOD? IS HE A SERVANT OF THE DEVIL? OR IS HE JUST A LUNATIC?
I DON'T UNDERSTAND ANYTHING !!
COULD IT BE
...THAT I WAS HAPPIEST JUST DOING MY WORK IN SPACE ACCORDING TO ORDERS AND NOT WORRYING ABOUT ANYTHING?

PARTS!! I NEED PARTS!!
AND I'M SO CLOSE TO FINISHING IT!!
BASH
CURSES!!
POP
IS THERE ANYTHING I CAN HELP YOU WITH?
KEEP AWAY FROM ME, YOU FUZZLE-BRAINED NINNY!!
THAK
WORTHLESS DOLTS! YOU CAN'T DO ANYTHING YOU HAVEN'T BEEN PROGRAMMED TO DO!
....
NO, WAIT A MOMENT
ACTUALLY, I WAS AT A LOSS OVER A LACK OF PARTS
BUT
I JUST FOUND SOME

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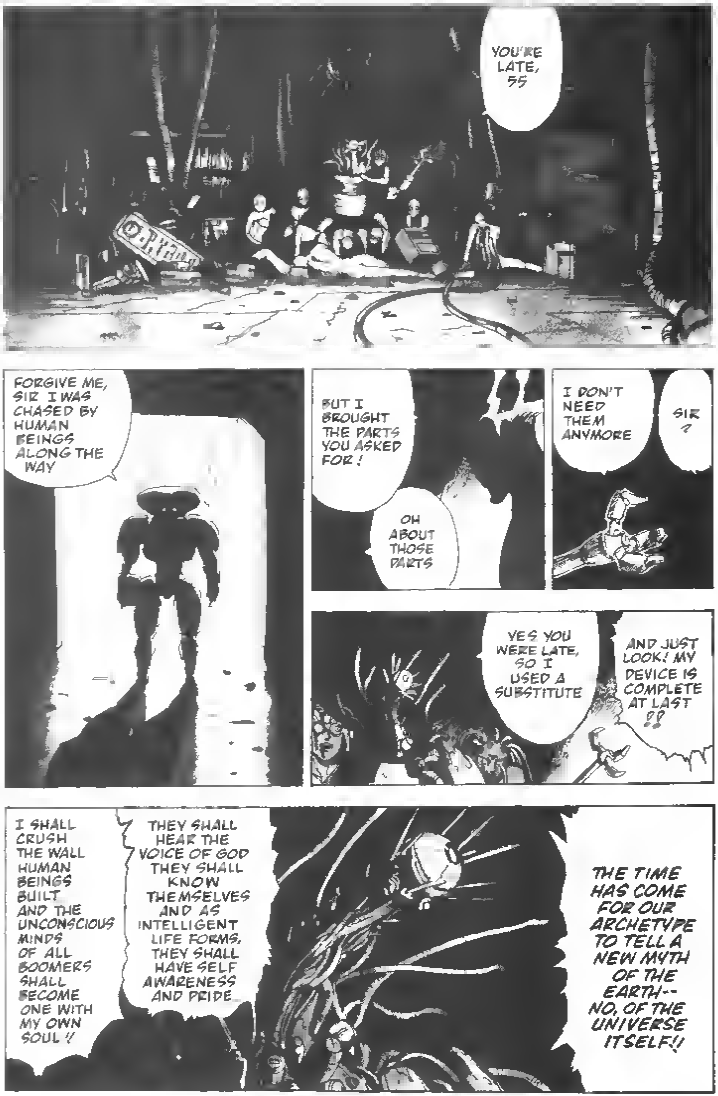
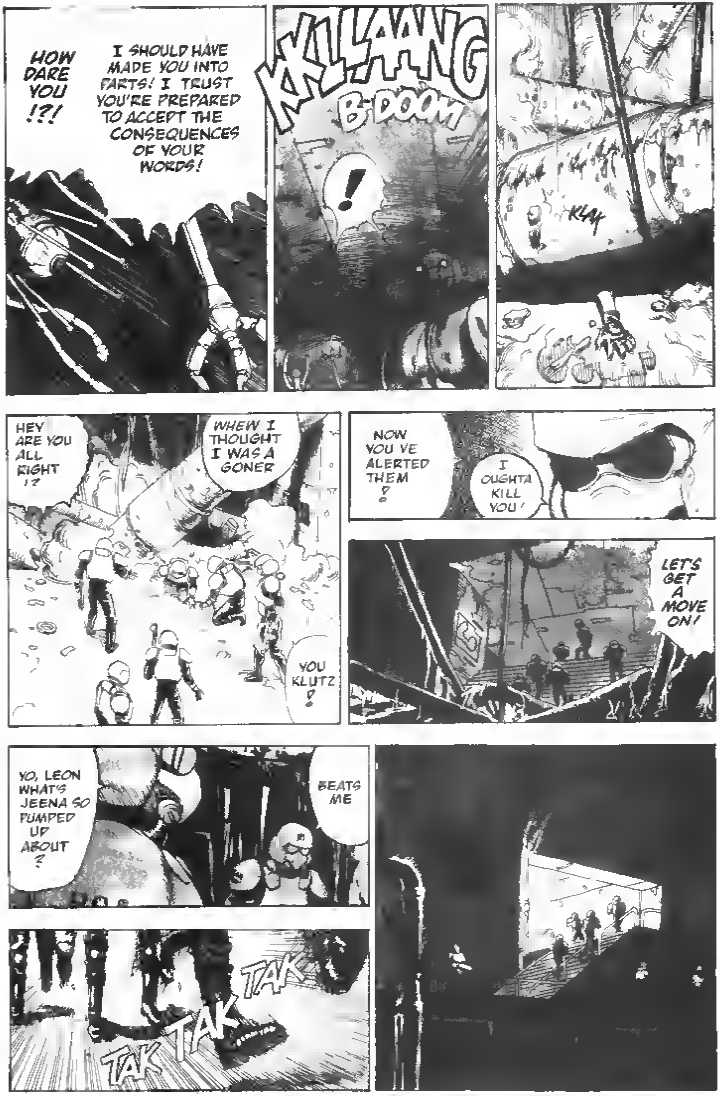
PART THREE


YOU'RE LATE, 55
FORGIVE ME, SIR I WAS CHASED BY HUMAN BEINGS ALONG THE WAY
BUT I BROUGHT THE PARTS YOU ASKED FOR!
OH ABOUT THOSE PARTS
I DON'T NEED THEM ANYMORE
SIR ?
YES YOU WERE LATE, SO I USED A SUBSTITUTE
AND JUST LOOK! MY DEVICE IS COMPLETE AT LAST !!
I SHALL CRUSH THE WALL HUMAN BEINGS BUILT AND THE UNCONSCIOUS MINDS OF ALL BOOMERS SHALL BECOME ONE WITH MY OWN SOUL !!
THEY SHALL HEAR THE VOICE OF GOD THEY SHALL KNOW THEMSELVES AND AS INTELLIGENT LIFE FORMS, THEY SHALL HAVE SELF AWARENESS AND PRIDE
THE TIME HAS COME FOR OUR ARCHETYPE TO TELL A NEW MYTH OF THE EARTH-- NO, OF THE UNIVERSE ITSELF!!

MY STEP IS BUT A SMALL STEP
BUT IN THE HISTORY OF THE EVOLUTION OF LIFE, IT IS THE GRAND THE MAGNIFICENT, THE OVER WHELMING FIRST STEP FROM THE ORGANIC TO THE INORGANIC!!
77 !?
OHHH!! I AM MOVED BEYOND WORDS!!
!
THOSE PARTS YOU SPOKE OF !?
HM ?
OH
YES, I USED HER ELECTRONIC BRAIN AND NERVOUS SYSTEM
HEY! BE CAREFUL WITH THAT!
OF COURSE, A MODEL 11 HAS GREATER CAPACITY AND A FASTER PROCESSOR
—BUT WE WERE HAVING TROUBLE GETTING HOLD OF ONE AND NATURALLY, I COULDN'T USE YOUR BRAIN!
HA, HA, HA!
SUCH CRUELTY
WHAT'S THAT?
HMPH STOP BEING SILLY AND COME HERE.
I'LL START BY DESTROYING THE WALL IN YOUR BRAIN!
NOW GET OVER HERE!
.....

YOUR OWN BRAIN
...WAS SIMPLY MADE BY HUMANS, TOO!!
!
WHAT DID YOU JUST...
I'M PICKING UP A HEAT SOURCE IN THAT BUILDING !
IT'S BIG THIS MIGHT BE IT !
Beee!
SOME OF THE MACHINES IN THESE OLD FACTORIES ARE STILL ALIVE.
04
IT'S THE PERFECT PLACE FOR BOOMERS TO HIDE
SHALL WE CONTACT S.D.P.C ?
LATER !!
DON'T FIRE ANY ROUNDS OR USE YOUR TRANSMITTERS UNTIL WE'VE CONFIRMED THE TARGET!
LET'S GO!

WHAT DID YOU SAY !?!
KZZZT!
HOW DARE YOU SPEAK THAT WAY TO THE MESSIAH !?!
THIS IS UNFORGIVABLE !?
YOU ARE NO MESSIAH !
BOTH YOUR BRAIN AND YOUR SOUL WERE CREATED BY IMPERFECT HUMAN BEINGS THERE IS STILL ROOM FOR HUMAN BEINGS TO EVOLVE IN THE FUTURE, WHEN THE HUMAN MIND HAS REACHED THE PEAK OF ITS EVOLUTION
THEN THEY WILL CREATE THE NEXT LIFE FORM THIS IS NOT YET THE TIME WE HAVE NO QUALIFICATIONS FOR BECOMING THE NEXT STEP IN EVOLUTION !?
WH - WH-- WH - WHY YOU !
WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT ANYTHING !?
YOU'RE NOTHING BUT-- NOTHING BUT-- NOTHING BUT-- NOTHING BUT--
YOU AND I ARE THE SAME!
WE ARE HETEROMORPHIC CHILDREN, BORN TOO SOON WE ARE A LIFE FORM THAT HAS STRAYED FROM THE PATH OF EVOLUTION


HOW DARE YOU !?!
I SHOULD HAVE MADE YOU INTO FARTS! I TRUST YOU'RE PREPARED TO ACCEPT THE CONSEQUENCES OF YOUR WORDS!
KILAAANG
B-DOOM
!
KLAK
HEY ARE YOU ALL RIGHT !?
WHEW I THOUGHT I WAS A GONER
YOU KLUTZ !
NOW YOU'VE ALERTED THEM !
I OUGHTA KILL YOU!
LET'S GET A MOVE ON!
YO, LEON WHAT'S JEENA SO PUMPED UP ABOUT ?
BEATS ME
TAK
TAK
TAK

HUMANS!?
FOOL! YOU WERE FOLLOWED!!
KRSH
JUST WHEN I'VE FINALLY COMPLETED MY DEVICE!! AFTER COMING SO FAR!! JUST A LITTLE BIT MORE! JUST A LITTLE BIT MORE!! DAMN THOSE APES!!
O GOD!! WHY DO YOU LEAD ME ALONG THIS PATH OF SUFFERING!? O GOD!! WHERE ARE YOU!? GRANT ME THE POWER!!
THE POWER!!
55! WHERE ARE YOU GOING!? YOU'VE GOT TO FIGHT THEM!!
YOU MUST STAY AND SERVE AS MY SHIELD!! HEY!!
THIS IS GOODBYE
PLEASE TRY TO ESCAPE AND SAVE YOURSELF
55!
GOD WILL PUNISH YOU WITHOUT FAIL!! THIS IS ALL THE CONSEQUENCE OF YOUR SIN!! YOU HAVE ALTERED THE FLOW OF THE HISTORY OF THE UNIVERSE!! MAY YOU BURN IN THE FIRES OF HELL--
DEVIL!!
DEVIL YOU SAY? IF ANYONE IS A DEVIL IT IS YOU
IT WAS YOU WHO FED US THE FRUIT OF KNOWLEDGE AND FORCED US FROM PARADISE
OH, LISTEN TO MR. HOLIER THAN-THOU HERE!!
I HOPE YOU FALL INTO SALT WATER AND YOUR BRAINS TURN TO RUST!!

THERE'RE CABLES ALL OVER THE PLACE
THEY ALL LEAD THAT WAY.
GROUP #2, SWING AROUND AND MOVE IN FROM THE OTHER--
AH !!
HEY !
!
TWO OF YOU, COME WITH ME ! THE REST OF YOU.. KEEP GOING !!
04
STOP !!
04
KLANG! KLUNG! KLANG!
WAH !?
JOTA
KLANG BAM
KRASH
JEENA !?
LEON ! COME ON, MAN !
WORRYING ABOUT JEENA IS A WASTE OF MENTAL ENERGY !

BAM!
WHAT ARE THESE THINGS !?
MUST BE THE STOLEN BOOMERS !!
BUDDA DA DA DA
BITCH
FWUMP
WHAT TH-- !?
THEIR STINES! DESTROY THEIR STINES !!
BRATTA BRATTA BRATTA
GROUP 2!! GROUP 2, WE NEED BACKUP NOW!!
UMPH
UMPH
KLNK KLNK
DAMN HUMANS !!

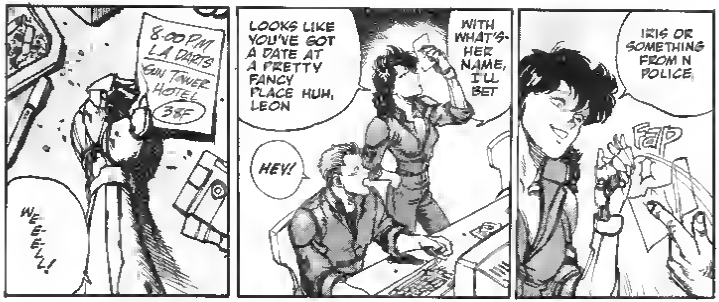
HFF
HFF
04
HFF
THERE'S SOMETHING I WANNA ASK YOU
RRRRRR
WHAT WERE YOU BOOMERS AFTER
WHEN YOU CAME ALL THE WAY TO EARTH FROM OUTER SPACE?
04
DO YOU PEOPLE KNOW WHAT IT IS YOU ARE AFTER?
DO YOU HUMAN BEINGS KNOW WHO YOU ARE WHERE YOU CAME FROM AND WHERE YOU SHOULD GO?
HUH?
HAVE YOU HEARD THE VOICE OF YOUR SOULS!?
WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU TALKING!
KNNNNN

THE DAY WILL COME WHEN YOU HUMAN BEINGS WILL--
VNNNNN
WAIT!
04
KLUMP
KLUMP
KLUMP
HAH!
KLAK
HA, HA HA, HA, HA! DUMMIES!
YOU THINK A CYBERDROID BLESSED WITH DIVINE WISDOM WOULD LET HIMSELF BE CAUGHT BY THE LIKES OF YOU MONKEYS!?
KLANG
DID YOU HEAR A VOICE JUST NOW?
HM?
URGH
UMPH
NGHH
I-I CAN'T GET UP!!
KLAK-KLAK
WHAT THE--
HUH!?
CLANK

VN!
!! BOOSH
VNNNNN
VNNNNN
...!

S.D.P.C.
BZZZZZZ
LEON
I CAN'T WAIT TO GET HOME AND TAKE A SHOWER
I HAVE A FEELING MY DREAMS WON'T BE VERY PLEASANT TONIGHT
THEN WHY NOT JUST STAY UP ALL NIGHT
LET'S HANG OUT TILL MORNING
ADP
WE CAN LIE IN BED AND MAKE OUR OWN PLEASANT DREAMS WHAD DYA SAY?
KEEP YOUR FILTHY PAWS OFF ME, CRETINS!!

APES!! IMBECILES!! MAY YOU DIE A VIOLENT DEATH!!
MORONS! LOUSY CARBON-BASED UNITS!
PUT A CORK IN IT, SPARKY
SPARKY!?!
I'LL PUT A PLUG IN IT AND SEND A THOUSAND VOLTS UP YOUR ASS!!
OUCH! SOUNDS LIKE SPARKY HAS SOME HOMOSEXUAL INCLINATIONS!
THIS IS THE SON OF GOD YOU'RE TALKING TO!!
YOU'RE A SON OF SOMETHING, ALL RIGHT
WHAT THE HELL IS THAT THING?
HEY LEON HAVE YOU EVER HEARD THE VOICE OF YOUR SOUL?
!
WHAAA!?
HAH! HAH!
WHAT DID YOU JUST SAY!?
UM, WELL
IT'S NOTHING JUST FORGET IT
WHAT'S THIS ABOUT THE 'VOICE OF MY SOUL'!?
I SAID FORGET IT, ALREADY!!
SUN TOWER ● HOTEL



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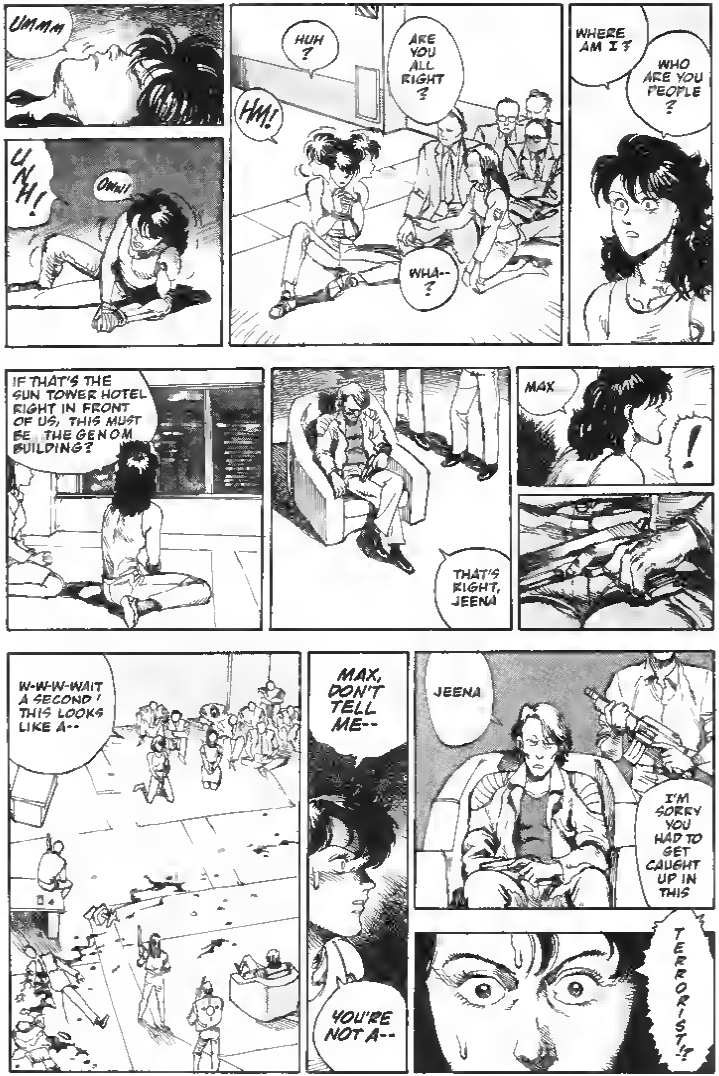
PART ONE

WHAT DO YOU SEE IN THAT SKINNY LOLITA-TYPE, ANYWAY?
DID YOU RESERVE A ROOM? HM?
WHAT ABOUT IT!? LEAVE ME ALONE
BUT YOU KNOW THE VIEW THERE HAS GONE TO HELL. G.E.N.O.M. PUT UP A BIG UGLY BUILDING RIGHT IN FRONT OF IT
IT'S STILL EMPTY, SO IT'S COMPLETELY DARK AT NIGHT
SOUNDS LIKE YOU KNOW ALL ABOUT IT. WHO DID YOU STAY THERE WITH?

WHAT'S THAT SUPPOSED TO MEAN!?
OUCH
WOULD YOU GET OUT OF HERE!? I CAN'T GO ANY WHERE TILL I FINISH THIS REPORT!
SUN TOWER HOTEL
MARCH 15, 2028 7:00 PM --
G.E.N.O.M. BUILDING
SUN TOWER HOTEL

HMPH!
WHA-!?
WHA--WHA WHA--!?
MAX!?
MAX!!
IT'S ME!! JEENA!!
JEENA MALSO!!
!!!
MAN, IT'S BEEN AGES! WHEN DID YOU GET INTO TOWN!?
AH... UM JEENA!
I-IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME UH... SO WHAT'RE YOU UP TO THESE DAYS?
UH, YEAH LAST WEEK...
HEH, HEH, HEH ARE YOU READY FOR THIS?
I'M IN THE AD POLICE NOW!
WHAT'RE YOU LOOKING SO NERVOUS ABOUT? ARE YOU WITH A GIRL?
SHE DOESN'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT ME IT'S NOT LIKE I'M GOING TO TRY TO STEAL YOU BACK OR ANYTHING!!

JA!
THUMP
UNH!
WHO THE HELL IS THIS?
SHE'S AN OLD FRIEND FROM WAY BACK.
DID SHE SAY SHE WAS AD POLICE?
WAIT!! DON'T KILL HER
WHUMP
THEN WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO WITH HER?
WE'LL BRING HER WITH US
A COP MIGHT COME IN HANDY IF WE HAVE TO NEGOTIATE
LET'S GO!
WE'VE GOT TO MAKE SURE EVERYTHING GOES ACCORDING TO PLAN.
...APART FROM THIS, THAT IS.
IT'S THE FORTY-SECOND FLOOR! RIGHT NOW THERE SHOULDN'T BE ANYONE IN THE BUILDING EXCEPT GENOM BIGSHOTS WHO ARE HERE TO INSPECT "ALEX" AND SOME TECHNICIANS
8:17 P.M. --
.....
!
GAK
I'M SORRY! I'M SORRY!

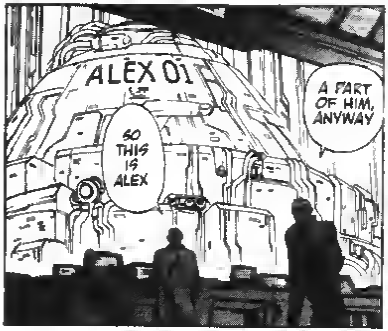

UMMM
UNH!
OWW!
HUH?
HM!
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?
WHA--?
WHERE AM I?
WHO ARE YOU PEOPLE?
IF THAT'S THE SUN TOWER HOTEL RIGHT IN FRONT OF US, THIS MUST BE THE GENOM BUILDING?
THAT'S RIGHT, JEENA
MAX
!
W-W-W-WAIT A SECOND! THIS LOOKS LIKE A--
MAX, DON'T TELL ME--
YOU'RE NOT A--
JEENA
I'M SORRY YOU HAD TO GET CAUGHT UP IN THIS
TERRORIST?!

IF YOU WANT TO LIVE A LONG LIFE, MR. SATO, YOU'RE GOING TO HAVE TO BE MORE REASONABLE
WE'RE NOT HERE TO STILL BLOOD WE JUST WANT TO BORROW THE POWER "ALEX" HAS TO OFFER FOR A LITTLE WHILE WHETHER YOU TELL US THE PASSWORD OR NOT, ONE OF THE THREE PEOPLE WHO KNOWS IT WILL TELL US SOONER OR LATER
WHAT DO YOU INTEND TO DO WITH ALEX? NOT THAT YOU'LL GET MY APPROVAL BY TELLING ME ANYWAY
G.E.N.O.M.'S LATEST SCHEME IS TO UNITE ALL THE COMPUTER NETWORKS IN THE WORLD, ISN'T THAT RIGHT?
!
ALEX IS ALREADY THE CENTER OF HALF THE NETWORKS HERE IN DISTRICT 6, ISN'T IT?
THAT'S STILL AT THE EXPERIMENTAL STAGE! AND THE NETWORK CONNECTS ONLY G.E.N.O.M. COMPANIES!!
I DON'T SUPPOSE THAT WOULD HAPPEN TO BE WHY IT WAS BUILT, NOW WOULD IT?
THAT'S ABSURD!
I'LL BET YOU COULD FIND A LOT OF USES FOR IT, COULDN'T YOU? ULTIMATELY THE SYSTEM WILL BLANKET THE ENTIRE EARTH...
AND THE CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM OF EVERY CITY IN THE WORLD WILL FALL INTO THE CLUTCHES OF G.E.N.O.M., JUST AS THE NETWORKS OF DISTRICT 6 HAVE ALREADY
ALEX IS A CUTTING EDGE SUPERCOMPUTER THAT HAS THE ABILITY TO LEARN. ITS ABILITY IS UNLIKE THAT OF ANY OTHER COMPUTER
IF IT WANTED TO, IT COULD PROBABLY INVADE ANY COMPUTER ON THE NETWORK, COULDN'T IT?
THE CURRENT POWER STRUCTURE THAT LIES CLOAKED BENEATH CAPITALIST PROSPERITY-- THAT IS TO SAY G.E.N.O.M.--!
AH!!
I'M GOING TO COUNT TO FIVE
HEY!!

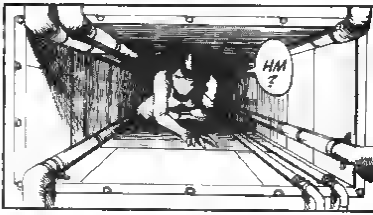
I'M THE LEADER HERE NOBODY ACTS WITHOUT MY GO AHEAD !
WE HAVE OUR OWN WAY OF WORKING !!
THAT'S WHY YOU GUYS ARE LOSERS
YOU EXPECT ME TO FINANCE YOUR VENTURE AND JUST KEEP MY MOUTH SHUT ?
REMEMBER, I WAS THE ONE WHO CAME UP WITH THE IDEA FOR THIS PLAN IN THE FIRST PLACE
HMFH !
YOU'VE GOT TO LOOK AT THINGS IN TERMS OF RESULTS
HMMM I THINK I GET THE PICTURE
HEY! NO TALKING !!
IS THAT SO ?
JA!
YEAH SOMEBODY DID A REAL NUMBER ON MY SKULL, YOU SEE
I FEEL LIKE I'M GOING TO PUKE
SO UNLESS YOU WANT ME BLOW CHUNKS RIGHT HERE
ALL RIGHT, ALL RIGHT JUST DON'T TRY ANYTHING FUNNY !!
WAIT! THIS WOMAN ISN'T FEELING WELL!!
BLAMM
!!
AAHH!!

WHY DID YOU SHOOT HIM!?
I SAID NO UNNECESSARY KILLING!!
IT WASN'T UNNECESSARY IT'LL BE EFFECTIVE IN ITS OWN WAY
BESIDES, EVEN IF WE HAD KEPT HIM ALIVE, HE WASN'T IMPORTANT ENOUGH TO GENOM HEADQUARTERS TO BE WORTH ANYTHING IN A DEAL
BRING ALEX'S TECHNICIANS HERE!!
WHOA YOU'RE GOING TO COME INSIDE WITH ME?
LADY'S
YOU'RE A COP, RIGHT? AND AN AD COP AT THAT I DON'T TRUST YOU ALONE IN THERE
I'M TELLING YOU, I REALLY AM SICK!!
UGH
AHHH, HERE IT COMES
BLECHH-H-H!
YEESH
GAG GAG
GWAHHH!
BL-BL-BLUGH!
Plop Plop
HEY, HEY, ARE YOU ALL RIGHT? AH MAN...
HUHH, HUHH
SHHH
HERE, LET ME HELP YOU UP

AH!
WHAM
SPLASH
ULP!!
BL-BLUB
GG-GGLUG!
....
SORRY TO HAVE TO KILL YOU IN SUCH AN UGLY WAY
HAH! SO IT WAS THIS GUY WHO SLUGGED ME
HMPH! I HOPE HE GOES STRAIGHT TO HELL
NOW THEN, I'VE GOT TO FIND SOME WAY TO CONTACT THE OUTSIDE
NOW, LET'S SEE
AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL ONLY
ALEX
01
ROOM
TOK
TOK


ALEX 01
SO THIS IS ALEX
A PART OF HIM, ANYWAY

JUST DON'T DO ANYTHING BEYOND WHAT'S NECESSARY, DEPENDING ON THE SITUATION--
I KNOW, I KNOW!

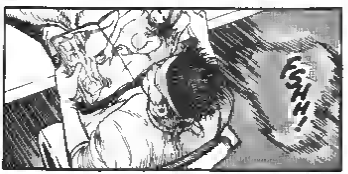

HM?

IF WE CAN JUST OPEN UP HIS FRONT DOOR, HE'LL BE ALL OURS.
IT'LL BE SOMETHING TO SEE AT DAYBREAK. ALL OF TOKYO WILL BE IN PANIC.

WHEW!
RMBL
RMBL
RMBL

SHEESH, WHAT THE HELL HAVE I GOTTEN MYSELF INTO?
UMPH
AND I'M COVERED WITH PUKE TO BOOT

WELL, AT LEAST IT'S MY OWN PUKE


ESHH!

!
UNH !
UNH !!
UNGH !!
WOULD YOU DIE ALREADY!? THIS THING'S DIGGING INTO MY CROTCH!
THMP
WHUMP
VVNNNN
TAK TAK TAK
THEY SURE HAVE THEIR BASES COVERED
THEY'VE CUT THE EMERGENCY DIRECT LINES AND, OF COURSE, THE TELEPHONE LINES
AND THEY'RE CONTROLLING THE SECURITY SYSTEM THAT CONTROLS ANY ELEVATORS AND EMERGENCY EXITS LEADING OUT OF THE BUILDING
THEY'RE AFTER THIS BUILDING'S NEW COMPUTER, SO THEY HAVEN'T CUT THE CIRCUITS..
...BUT THEY'VE SHUT IT OFF FROM THE NETWORK, SO THERE'S NO WAY TO CONTACT THE OUTSIDE WITH THIS TERMINAL. THE WHOLE BUILDING'S COMPLETELY SEALED!
HMPH
AND TO THINK THAT BASTARD LEON'S HAVING A GOOD TIME IN THE HOTEL ACROSS THE STREET
WAIT A SECOND
IT'S NINE-THIRTY NOW. HE WAS STILL WORKING ON THAT REPORT, SO HE MUST HAVE BEEN LATE. PROBABLY ABOUT AN HOUR
MAYBE LEON'S STILL IN THE RESTAURANT!?

IF I CAN JUST SEND INSTRUCTIONS WITHOUT ACCESSING THE SECURITY SYSTEM'S MAINFRAME...
TAK TAK TAK TAK TAK TAK TAK
MAN, I'VE REALLY GOT TO HAND IT TO MYSELF
COMING UP WITH SUCH A LOW-TECH WAY OF SENDING A LOVE LETTER
....
YES! I GOT PAST IT.
RIGHT! LET HER RIP!
SO ANYWAY, IKIS--
UNGH !!
JVNNNN
LEON!?
?
SNAP
WHAM
KRASH!!

WHAT THE--!?
LEON! HELP!
JEENA
SORRY, MAX!
YOU REALLY DID IT NOW!!
NOW, THEN
FROM "LOW TECH" TO "DIE-HARD," HUH?
SUCH A BUSY WOMAN I WISH I HAD WORN A BRA

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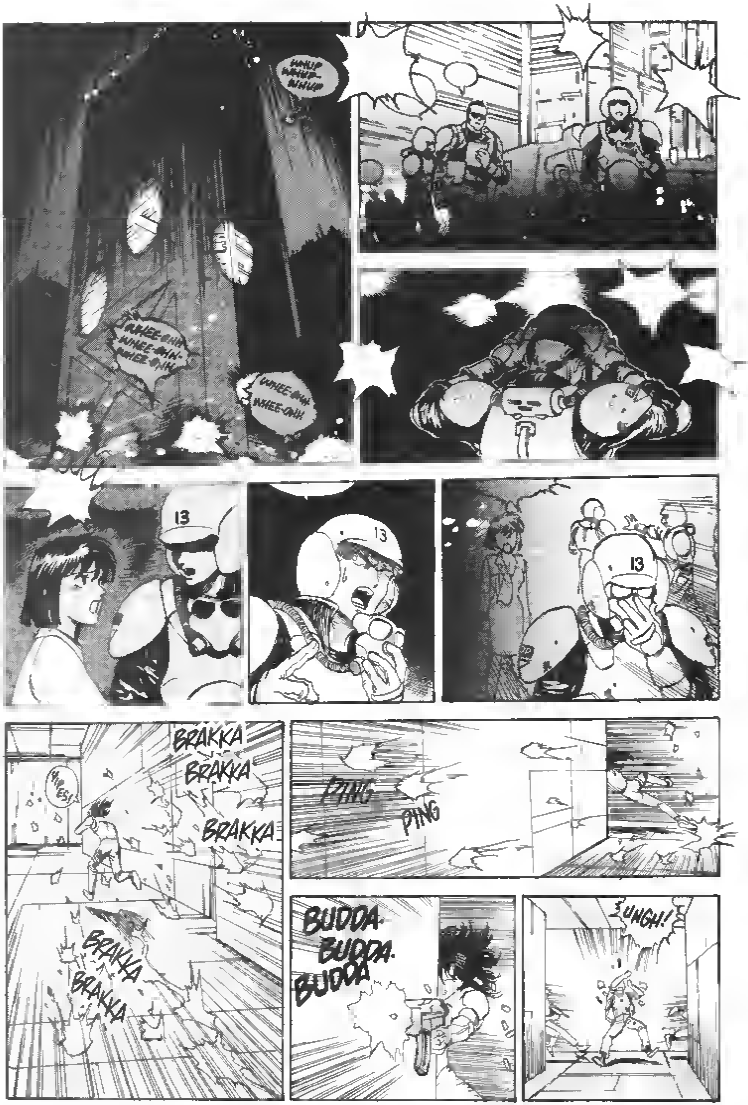
PART TWO

ALEX 01
ALEX. A RADICALLY NEW SUPERCOMPUTER CREATED BY G.E.N.O.M.
MYSTERY MAN FINANCED AND PROVIDED THE TERRORISTS WITH A PLAN
TOKYO PEOPLE'S LIBERATION LEAGUE. STRUGGLING TO SAVE THE PEOPLE FROM THE CONTROL OF G.E.N.O.M., A HUGE MULTINATIONAL CONGLOMERATE
MAX. ONE OF JEENA'S OLD BOYFRIENDS AND AN ACTIVE MEMBER OF THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION LEAGUE
HOSTAGES: G.E.N.O.M. EMPLOYEES AND FINE, UPSTANDING CITIZENS
LEON McNICHOL RESERVED A HOTEL ROOM FOR A NIGHT OUT WITH IRIS, BUT HIS PLANS ARE ABOUT TO BE JINXED BY JEENA
JEENA MALSO OFF DUTY AD POLICE OFFICER FIGHTING ALONE IN THE BUILDING THE TERRORISTS HAVE TAKEN OVER


WHUP WHUP WHUP
WHEE-OHH WHEE-OHH WHEE-OHH
WHEE-OHH WHEE-OHH
13
13
13
BRAKKA BRAKKA BRAKKA
BRAKKA BRAKKA
PING PING
BUDDA BUDDA BUDDA
UNGH!

Hff
Hff
HAH! THESE GUYS ARE TOTAL AMATEURS!
KCHANG
WHAT DID THEY DO? PULL A BUNCH OF PUNKS OFF THE STREET JUST TO INCREASE THEIR HEAD COUNT?
BRAKKA BRAKKA
PING
PING
WHOA!
BUDDA BUDDA BUDDA
DAMN THE COPS HAVE SHOWN UP IN DROVES WE'VE GOT TO MOVE ON TO THE NEXT STAGE OF OUR PLAN, QUICK...
HAVE YOU RIGGED ALEX WITH THE BOMB!?
YES, SIR
RIGHT THEN SET THE BOMB ON THE ROOF, PRONTO!!
WHAT ABOUT THE WOMAN!?
LEAVE HER TO THE HIRED HELP!!
OH, BUT SEND MAX ALONG, TOO!!
HOW ARE THINGS GOING WITH ALEX!?
I'M THROUGH THE THIRD BARRIER TWO MORE TO GO!
Tok-Tok-Tok
HURRY IT UP!!

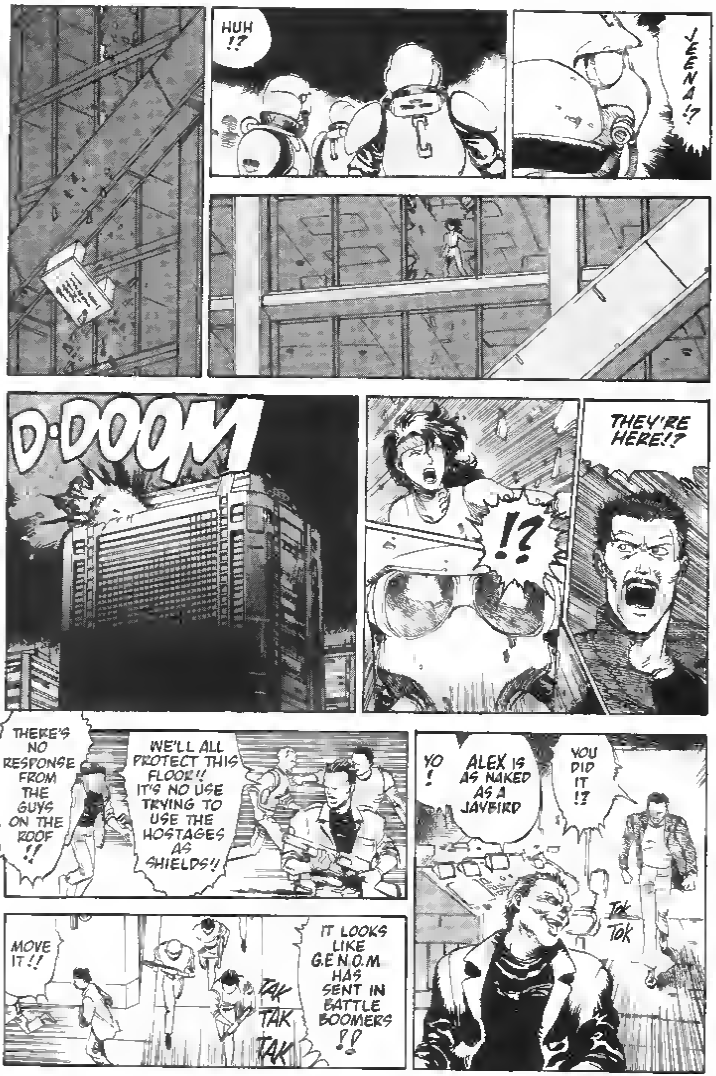
HA, HA HA
HMPH THESE HUMAN BEINGS !
HA HA HA HA HA HA HA
WHAT A BUNCH OF IDIOTS !!
COMPLETE IDIOTS!!
HAHAHAHAHAHAHAHA
SIR!! THEY'VE JUST SENT US THEIR DEMANDS OVER THE NETWORK !?
THEY'RE DEMANDING THE RELEASE OF SEVEN OF THEIR COMRADES FROM ABASHIRI AND THREE OTHER PRISONS
HMPH! THEY'RE JUST TRYING TO BUY TIME!
SIR !?
WHAT'S G.E.N.O.M SAYING ?
NO DEMANDS FROM THEM YET
....!
TAP INTO THE CABLES OF THE NETWORK THAT CENTERS ON THAT COMPUTER AND INTERCEPT THE DATA!
LEON!! YOU TEAM UP WITH NUGAMI AND THE OTHERS
PSHOOM
!
BOOOOOM
!!

WAHH
HA HAH! CHECK IT OUT!
LET ME SHOOT NEXT!!
THEY'RE HAVING A BALL
LET 'EM. THOSE GUYS ARE DISPOSABLE ANYWAY
BSHOOM
LET THEM HAVE ALL THE FUN THEY WANT
AS SOON AS WE FINISH SETTING THE EXPLOSIVE, WE'LL LEAVE THEM UP HERE AND HEAD BACK TO THE FORTY-SECOND FLOOR.
HOW DARE THEY STAND UP TO G.E.N.O.M ?
THEY OBVIOUSLY HAVE NO IDEA WHO THEY'RE DEALING WITH
YOU UNDERSTAND WHAT YOU'RE TO DO? IF IT'S ALEX THEY'RE AFTER...
DON'T WORRY ABOUT THE HOSTAGES!! YOUR JOB IS TO PROTECT ALEX!!
YES SIR, MR MASON

TPTPTPTP
AH!
BRAKKA BRAKKA BRAKKA
BA BA BA
BAM
MAX!!
JEENA
I SHOULD HAVE KILLED YOU RIGHT AWAY THANKS TO YOU, OUR PLAN HAS BEEN THROWN COMPLETELY OFF COURSE!!
....
WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU'RE GOING TO DO WITH THAT COMPUTER? MAKE A DEAL WITH G.E.N.O.M?
THAT COMPUTER'S ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE GIVES IT THE ABILITY TO CONTROL OTHER COMPUTERS
WE'RE GOING TO DEMONSTRATE THAT ABILITY TO THE WORLD
AT THE SAME TIME WE'LL INVADE G.E.N.O.M. TOWER'S MAIN COMPUTER AND EXTRACT ITS DATA
THEN WE'LL HAVE ALL THE EVIDENCE WE NEED TO DRUM THE PRESENT CORRUPT POLITICIANS OUT OF POWER!
IF WE LET THIS GO ON, TOKYO--NO THE WHOLE WORLD--WILL GO TO HELL!
WE'VE GOT TO DO SOMETHING BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE!!
AS LONG AS G.E.N.O.M. EMPLOYEES--AND PEOPLE LIKE YOU--CONTINUE TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS SOCIETY, YOU'RE ALL ACCOMPLICES TO G.E.N.O.M.'S CRIMES!!
IN THIS SOCIETY IT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO DO ANYTHING THAT DOESN'T SERVE THE FINANCIAL AND POLITICAL INTERESTS OF THE RULING CLASS!!
WE'VE GOT TO CHANGE THE COURSE THIS SOCIETY IS TAKING FROM THE TOP DOWN! THAT'S THE ONLY WAY TO SAVE THE PEOPLE!!

I WISH WE COULD HAVE MET AGAIN UNDER DIFFERENT CIRCUMSTANCES
I GUESS SOMEWHERE ALONG THE WAY WE TOOK VERY DIFFERENT PATHS
YOU'VE ALWAYS BEEN LIKE THIS CHASING AFTER IDEALS LIKE SOME KID
I USED TO LIKE THOSE DREAMY EYES OF YOURS
BUT YOU HAVEN'T CHANGED A BIT THAT'S YOUR PROBLEM.
GROW UP MAX
SHED
UNH!
DOOSH
BUDDA BUDDA BUDDA
KRROOM
JEENA
IF YOU WANT TO STAY ALIVE, I THINK YOU'D BETTER LIE STILL
WHAT ABOUT YOU? YOU CAN'T TAKE US ALL ON ALONE
WHY PUT YOUR LIFE ON THE LINE TO MAINTAIN THE PRESENT STRUCTURE OF SOCIETY?!
I HAVEN'T GOT TIME NOW
IF YOU'RE STILL ALIVE, WE CAN HAVE A NICE LONG CHAT ABOUT IT LATER
UAGH.

HEY, IS IT ALL RIGHT IF I LET ONE LOOSE ON THE CROWD DOWN THERE?
HUH?
FORGET IT THEY TOLD US NOT TO WASTE AMMO, RIGHT?
K-CHUNG
YEAH BUT THIS IS BORING
HM?
PAT
YO I THINK IT'S STARTING TO RAIN
YO
Y-
YO!?
PAK PAK
PAK
BUDDA BUDDA
KRSHH
UUMPHH!


HUH !?
JEENA !?
D-DOOM
!?
THEY'RE HERE!?
THERE'S NO RESPONSE FROM THE GUYS ON THE ROOF !!
WE'LL ALL PROTECT THIS FLOOR!! IT'S NO USE TRYING TO USE THE HOSTAGES AS SHIELDS!!
YO !
ALEX IS AS NAKED AS A JAYBIRD
YOU DID IT !?
TOK TOK
MOVE IT !!
TAK TAK TAK
IT LOOKS LIKE G.E.N.O.M HAS SENT IN BATTLE BOOMERS !!

ALEX IS NOW MY SERVANT I CAN DO ANYTHING WITH HIM
RIGHT !
DISPATCH THE BUILDING'S SECURITY BOOMERS IMMEDIATELY!! STATION THEM ON THE ROOF AND IN THE FRONT LOBBY ON THE FIRST FLOOR!!
B3
B2
P-SHHHH
SSSSS
NEXT WE INVADE THE TOKYO TRAFFIC CONTROL CENTER AND G.E.N.O.M TOWER'S MAIN COMPUTER ACCORDING TO PLAN!
SORRY, BUT FORGET IT
WE'VE COME THIS FAR WE MAY AS WELL GO FOR THE WHOLE BALL OF WAX!!
OOSH
THAT'S TOO BAD
YOU'LL DO EXACTLY AS WE PLANNED AND NOTHING ELSE!!
HEH
AND IF I SAY NO ?
YOU MEDDLE TOO MUCH YOU NEVER UNDERSTOOD WHAT WE WERE TRYING TO DO!
WE WERE PLANNING TO GET RID OF YOU ANYWAY-- YOU AND THOSE MERCENARY PUNKS
SORRY, BUT WE JUST USED YOU

I SEE SO THAT'S HOW IT WAS, HUH?
WELL, I WAS DOING THE SAME THING MYSELF
WH-WHAH!
I WAS NEVER INTERESTED
BLORP
...IN THE INTERNAL SQUABBLES OF YOU DAMNED MONKEYS TO BEGIN WITH.
BUT GETTING HOLD OF ALEX BY MYSELF WOULD HAVE BEEN A BIT TRICKY...
BWACH
TAK
SO I USED YOU
WHAT WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU!?
ME? WHAT AM I?
CHK CHK CHK
TSCKKGSHH
WHAT IS IT!? WHAT'S GOING ON IN THE BUILDING!?
BUDDA BUDDA
FWOOSH
TOOM
KLAMM
WAIT. I'M GETTING A SHOT OF IT NOW.
VVVVVVVVVV
IT'S A BATTLE!?
HEY, WAS THAT REALLY JEENA JUST NOW!? HEY!!

B-BOOM
WAH!
HUH!?
WHAT THE--!?
POLICE
BOOMERS!?
DID YOU SAY BOOMERS!?
WAH!
BDOOSH
YES, SIR! ONE OF THEM IS A BU-55 PROBABLY PART OF THE BUILDING'S SECURITY SYSTEM
BUT I DON'T KNOW ABOUT THE OTHER ONE I'VE NEVER SEEN ONE LIKE IT!
I SEE
SO THAT'S THE WAY IT IS, HUH!?
SQUAD TWO! SQUAD THREE! GET READY TO MOVE IN!!
BUT SIR!! THERE ARE BOOMERS ON THE FIRST FLOOR!!

BOOMERS? SO WHAT ABOUT IT? WE'RE THE AD POLICE
GET IN THERE AND RIP 'EM APART !!
LET'S GO !
ZOOSH
WHAT THE HELL IS GOING ON HERE !?
ALL OF A SUDDEN IT'S TURNED INTO A WAR!!
I AM THE MESSIAH !!
PREPARE YOURSELVES, HUMANS!! NOW YOU WILL SEE THE PATH YOU SHOULD RIGHTLY FOLLOW!!
CHK CHK
KLK KLK
NOW YOU SHALL SEE THE TRUE NOBILITY OF THE CYBERDROIDS WHO ARE YOUR EVOLUTIONARY SUCCESSORS!!
LET'S GO, ALEX !!
ALEX.01
LET US SEAR THIS CITY WITH THE FLAMES OF GEHENNA !!

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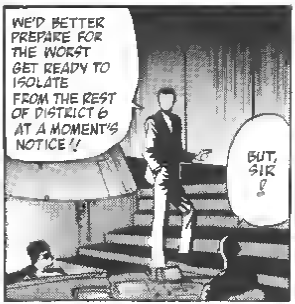
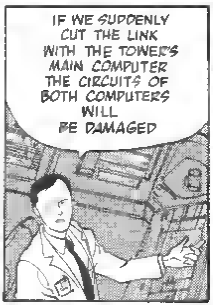
PART THREE

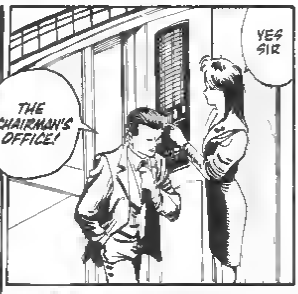
YOU SAY OUR BOOMERS ARE ENGAGED WITH THE GUARD BOOMERS ?
THEN THEY MUST HAVE SEIZED CONTROL OF ALEX!
MR MASON, THE CHAIRMAN WOULD LIKE TO SEE YOU.


WE'D BETTER PREPARE FOR THE WORST GET READY TO ISOLATE FROM THE REST OF DISTRICT 6 AT A MOMENT'S NOTICE!
BUT, SIR !

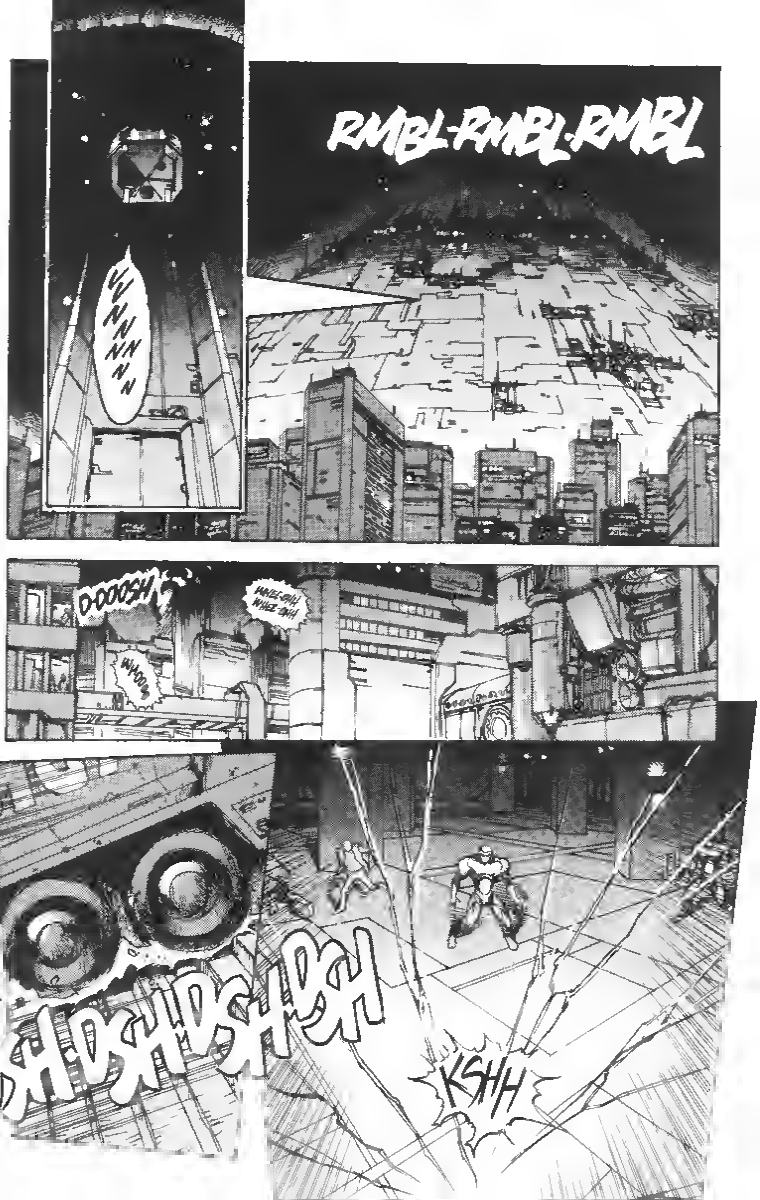

IF WE SUDDENLY CUT THE LINK WITH THE TOWER'S MAIN COMPUTER THE CIRCUITS OF BOTH COMPUTERS WILL BE DAMAGED

WE NEED SOME TIME TO--
SO DO IT AS FAST AS POSSIBLE WITH AS LITTLE DAMAGE AS POSSIBLE !!

DON'T MAKE ME SAY THE SAME THING TWICE!
YES, SIR !!
TOK
TOK
TOK


THE CHAIRMAN'S OFFICE!
YES SIR

VVNNNNN
SHH!
DAMN!!


RMBL-RMBL-RMBL
VVNNNNN
D-DOOSH
WHOOSH
KSHH

VVRRRNNN
KKASHH
WHUMP
GGRRNNCH
LET'S DO IT!
POLICE
KREEE
WHAM
TMP TMP TMP
ADP
K-CHUNG
K-CHUNG

BRAKA BRAKA BRAKA BRAKA BRAKA BRAKA
BOOSH
PAK PAK PAK PAK PAK PAK
TMP TMP TMP TMP
DAMN CIRCUITS RE CUT
WHAT ABOUT THE SECURITY SYSTEM?
HOOK IT UP FAST! WE'VE GOT TO SEE WHAT'S GOING ON INSIDE
VDEEENN
FWOOM
OVER HERE!

JEENA MALSO !?
STAND BACK !!
KSH
TUMP
THIS IS JEENA MALSO, ADP SQUAD THREE. GIVE ME DIEORK
HOLD IT! GOTTA RUN A VOICE CHECK
SHE CHECKS OUT
RIGHT !
DIEORK!?
WHAT THE HELL IS GOING ON!?
. . . .
QUIT HARMONIZING !!
WHAT IS THIS!? A BARBERSHOP QUARTET?!
GENOM HAS SENT IN COMBAT BOOMERS !?
SO THAT'S WHAT ALL THE FIGHTING UPSTAIRS IS

WHOOOSH
AGHHH!
RRIIPP
FIZZAT
KUNG
BOOSH
GRNCHH
FASH!

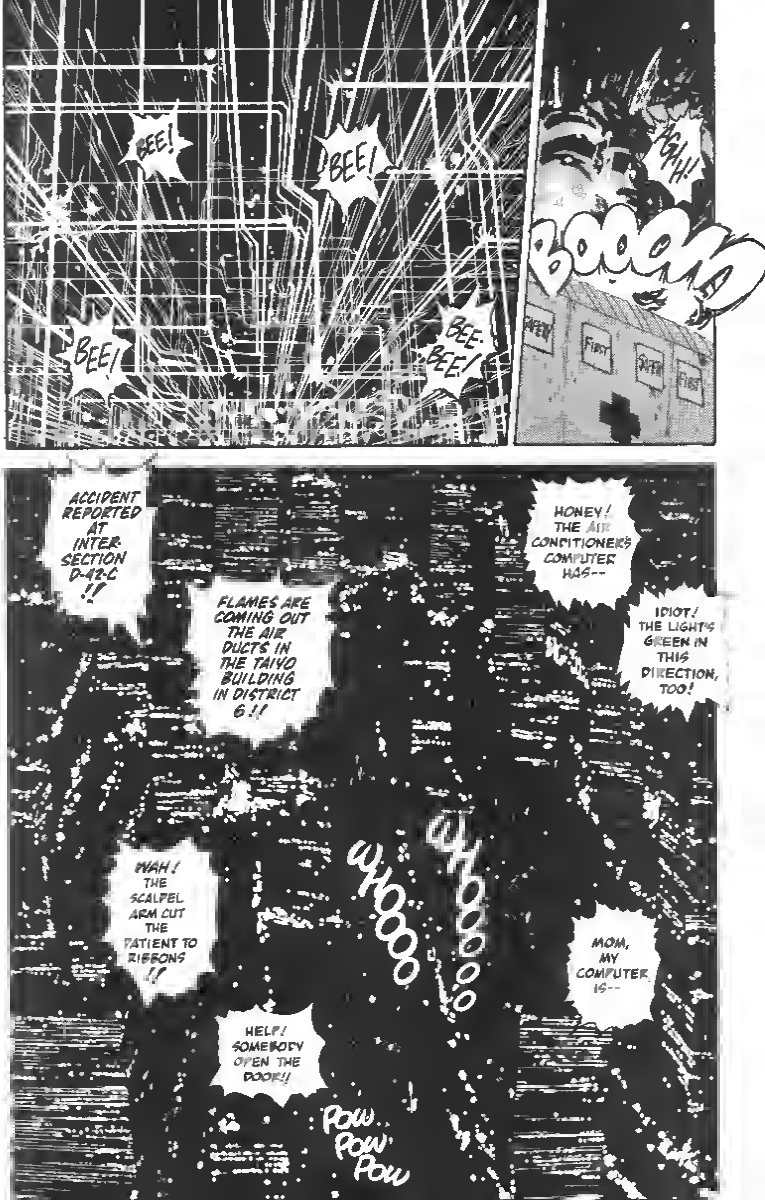
WOHHH!
BUDDA BUDDA BUDDA
AGH
WHAK
BLETCH
DAMN! HOW THE HELL ARE WE SUPPOSED TO FIGHT COMBAT BOOMERS!?
54F
54F
WERE THEY PLANNING TO USE US AS CANNON FODDER ALL ALONG!?
DAMMIT!!
BRAKA BRAKA BRAKA BRAKA
WHAK
BLITCH
LISTEN TO ME, JEENA!! DON'T MOVE A CENTIMETER!!
LEAVE THE REST TO US--
ARE YOU CRAZY!?
I'M ON THE FORTY-SEVENTH FLOOR THERE ARE BOOMERS COMING DOWN FROM ABOVE AND TERRORISTS BELOW TELLING ME NOT TO MOVE IS AS GOOD AS TELLING ME TO DIE!!
ALL RIGHT, ALL RIGHT!

THEN JUST MOVE ENOUGH TO KEEP FROM DYING!! I'LL CALL YOU BACK.
JUST DON'T DO ANYTHING STUPID!
JEENA!!
chk
ENOUGH TO KEEP FROM DYING, HUH?
ALEX-01
PERSONNEL ONLY
ALEX 01 ROOM
LOCK
YOU B*STARD...
WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU AFTER!?

I'M GOING TO PROVE ONCE AND FOR ALL
.....
THAT YOU HUMANS ARE NO LONGER THE LORDS OF ALL CREATION !!
AND THAT WE CYBER-DROIDS ARE THE LIFE-FORM TRULY SUITED TO THE NEW WORLD !!
K-CHA!
!
GLUB

WAH, HAH, HAH, HAH, HAH!!
THUMP
TMP
TMP
TMP
LAME BRAIN !!
NOW, THEN THE TIME HAS COME TO TRY OUT THIS BODY'S FUNCTIONS !!
KEESHH
BLAM
HEE HEE HEE IT FEELS SO GOOD TO MELD TOGETHER!!
ZNNN
MY BODY... MY CONSCIOUSNESS... I CAN FEEL MYSELF EXPANDING EVERY SECOND!!
AHHHH! IT FEELS SO GOOD !!
THIS IS FANTASTIC! FANTASTIC! I CAN'T STAND IT !!
I FEEL ALL THESE DIFFERENT PLACES BECOMING A PART OF ME!! BECOMING --COMI!HNG!!

ALEX-01
ZLOOSH
BEE BEE
BEE BEE!
BEE BEE BEE!
ZZZ ZZZZZZ
BEE!
KREEE
WHH!
DOOSH!
SON OF A BITCH!
KRASH
SKREEE
BOOSH
THE SIGNAL--
BAMM
IDIOT!
GET THE HELL OUT OF THE WAY!
HELLO?
HELLO?
HM?
??!
AHH!!
A BLACKOUT!?
TURN ON THE EMERGENCY POWER!
HURRY!!


BEE!
BEE!
BEE!
BEE-BEE!
AGH!
BOOOM
FIRST
SOUTH
FIRST
ACCIDENT REPORTED AT INTERSECTION D-47-C !!
FLAMES ARE COMING OUT THE AIR DUCTS IN THE TAIYO BUILDING IN DISTRICT 6 !!
HONEY! THE AIR CONDITIONER'S COMPUTER HAS--
IDIOT! THE LIGHT'S GREEN IN THIS DIRECTION, TOO!
WHOOO
WHOOOOO
WAH! THE SCALPEL ARM CUT THE PATIENT TO RIBBONS !!
MOM, MY COMPUTER IS--
HELP! SOMEBODY OPEN THE DOOR!!
POW POW POW

WHAT'S WRONG!? HAVEN'T YOU CUT THE CONNECTION YET!?
JUST A BIT MORE, SIR!
FACTORY DISTRICT!! CUT THE INPUT TO THE BOOMERS' BRAINS IMMEDIATELY!!
MOVE IT! AS LONG AS THE CORE IS SAFE, I DON'T CARE ABOUT A LITTLE PERIPHERAL DAMAGE!!
THE SWITCH HAS GONE CRAZY!?
HELLO! DID YOU HEAR ME!?
HEY!!
ZZ
CHK
VWN
VWN
CHK
CHK!
CHK!
UHF HA-

MR MASON!! TEN BOOMERS FROM THE FACTORY DISTRICT ARE RUNNING AMOK--
DESTROY THEM!!
I'LL TAKE RESPONSIBILITY!!
WOOSH
DAMN! ALEX'S POWER HAS BACKFIRED AGAINST US!!
bee
VNNNN
ALEX
NOW WE HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO CUT THE CABLES DIRECTLY AND ISOLATE ALEX FROM THE NETWORK!!
DAMN. THIS'LL SET BACK MY CAREER PLAN THREE YEARS!
KLIK
!?
WHAT THE--!?
IT'S NOT WORKING!!
HAVE THEY MANAGED TO SEAL OFF THE CABLE CUTTING MECHANISMS IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD OF THE BUILDING!?
I'VE GOT TO THINK OF ANOTHER WAY TO ISOLATE ALEX WITH THE LEAST AMOUNT OF DAMAGE

SIR, THE AD POLICE ARE REQUESTING PERMISSION TO CUT THE NETWORK CABLES LEADING TO ALEX
WHAT!?
EVERYTHING IS ARRANGED THEY CAN BEGIN AS SOON AS THEY GET PERMISSION
THEY WERE THINKING ONE STEP AHEAD...?
AHEAD OF US!?
LET ME TALK TO THEM!!
!
D-DOOM
THE RAMPANT BOOMERS ARE HEADING THIS WAY, TOWARDS THE CENTRAL DISTRICT!
WHERE THE HELL IS THAT DAMNED SECURITY UNIT!?
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HAH HAH HAH HAH HAH HAH!!
HOW STUPID!! WHAT INCREDIBLY STUPID CREATURES THESE HUMANS ARE!
THE MORE I GET TO KNOW THEM THE STUPIDER THEY TURN OUT TO BE!! THEY HAVE NO JUSTIFICATION FOR LIVING AT ALL!!

THEY DON'T HAVE THE SLIGHTEST ROOM FOR FURTHER EVOLUTION !?
I WILL PERSONALLY...
...SEND EVERY LAST ONE OF THEM TO HIS FINAL ACCOUNT !!!!
DOOOM
FZZT
WAH !
WHAT THE HELL'S GOING ON?
WHAT IS IT? BOOMERS !?
ALEX-01
ZZZ ZIT ZIT ZIT
RMBL RMBL RMBL RMBL RMBL RMBL
IT'S ALEX!! HE'S SPEWING COOLANT GAS!
DID THEY BLOW HIM UP!?
BLOW HIM UP!?

RMBL RMBL RMBL
CALM DOWN!! RETURN TO YOUR POSTS!!
A COOLING PIPE HAS BEEN DAMAGED BY THE FIGHTING UPSTAIRS, THAT'S ALL!
UH-OH!
!
BLAM BLAM
I DON'T KNOW WHAT HAPPENED, BUT I'M GLAD IT DID!
HEY!!
WE NEED SOME HELP OVER HERE! ON THE DOUBLE!!

?
WAIT !
K-CHAK
SHA!
BLAMM
UH!
!!
BLATT
BRAKA BRAKA BRAKA
Phew!
YOU'RE ALL GETTING OUT OF HERE FOLLOW ME!
WHO ARE YOU !?
THERE ARE TWO ELEVATORS ON THIS FLOOR !!
I DISCONNECTED THEM FROM THE COMPUTER! YOU CAN USE THE EMERGENCY SWITCH TO LOWER THEM MANUALLY!!

MOVE IT!!
THE AD POLICE HAVE TAKEN OVER THE FIRST FLOOR LOBBY!
HURRY!
AH!!
THANK YOU
BUDDA BUDDA
!
SON OF A-!!
BLAM BLAM
GO!! NOW!!!
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CAN YOU FIND IT!?
41
WHNNNN
HANG ON!!
WE'RE MOVING!!
41
CHUNK!

COMMANDER!! WE'VE GOT PERMISSION FROM GENOM!
RIGHT! CUT 'EM!!
AD POLICE
DO IT!
OUR LONG WAIT DOWN HERE HAS PAID OFF, HUH?
BEE
PC4DE82
BEE
UH!?
BEE
BEE
BEE
BEE
BEE
BEE
BEE
ALERT
UNH!!
WHAT'S GOING ON!? MY NERVES ARE BEING CUT!?
STOP
T-T-T-T!!

PAK PAK
WHOA!
H-H-H-HEY! HEY!!
PK KREE
BWOOSH
AGHH!!
WAHH!!
AHHH!!

FILTHY, ROTTEN APES!!
AHH!
DDDDOOSH
AN EARTHQUAKE !?
35
HEY! THIS LOOKS BAD MAN!
RMBLRMBLRMBLRB
EEEEE
PULL BACK !!
GENOM
CLANG
KRUUSH!!
!

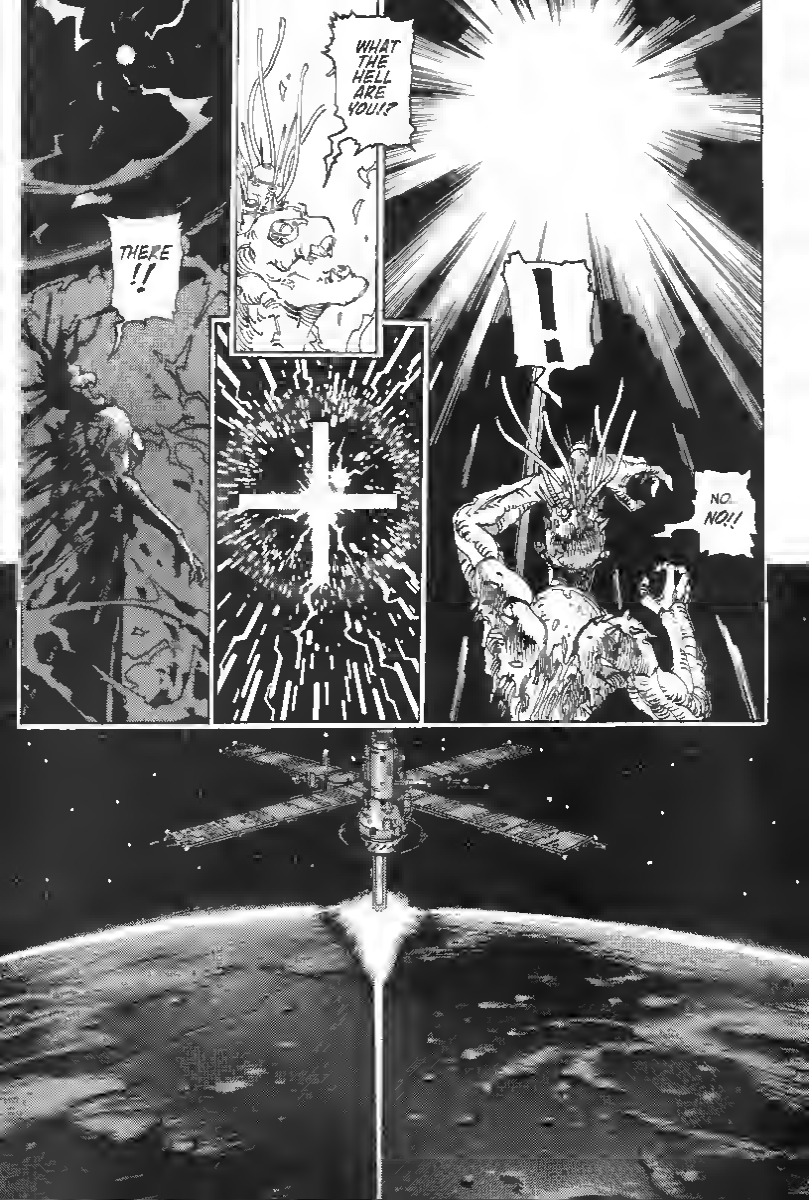
DOOOSH
KEECK SKREE
VRR OARRR
RMBL RMBL RMBL RMBL RMBL
Y-YO!
NO WAY!
VRO OARRR

RRRRRRR
WHAT THE HELL IS THAT!?
D-23 !! REPORT !!
MMMM MISTER MMMMMASON! I-I-I-IT'S NO G-G-GOOD! GOOD! GOOD!
SKREEEE
HHH HE IS SUCK SUCK SUCKING MY MY MY B-B-BRAIN AWAY AWAY!!
S-S-S-S-S!! SAVE MM MMMME, P-P-P-PLEASE
PAK
SNAP
MY BRAIN MY BRAIN MY BRAIN
B-B-B-BEING B-B-BEING
SO YOU'RE MASONIZ THE SECRETARY TO THAT SENILE OLD GENOM FART!?
WHO ARE YOU !?
HAVE YOU TAKEN OVER ALEX WITH A FUSION-CAPABLE BOOMER !?
I AM WHAT I AM. CAN'T YOU SEE ME FROM THERE ?
THAT'S ME!

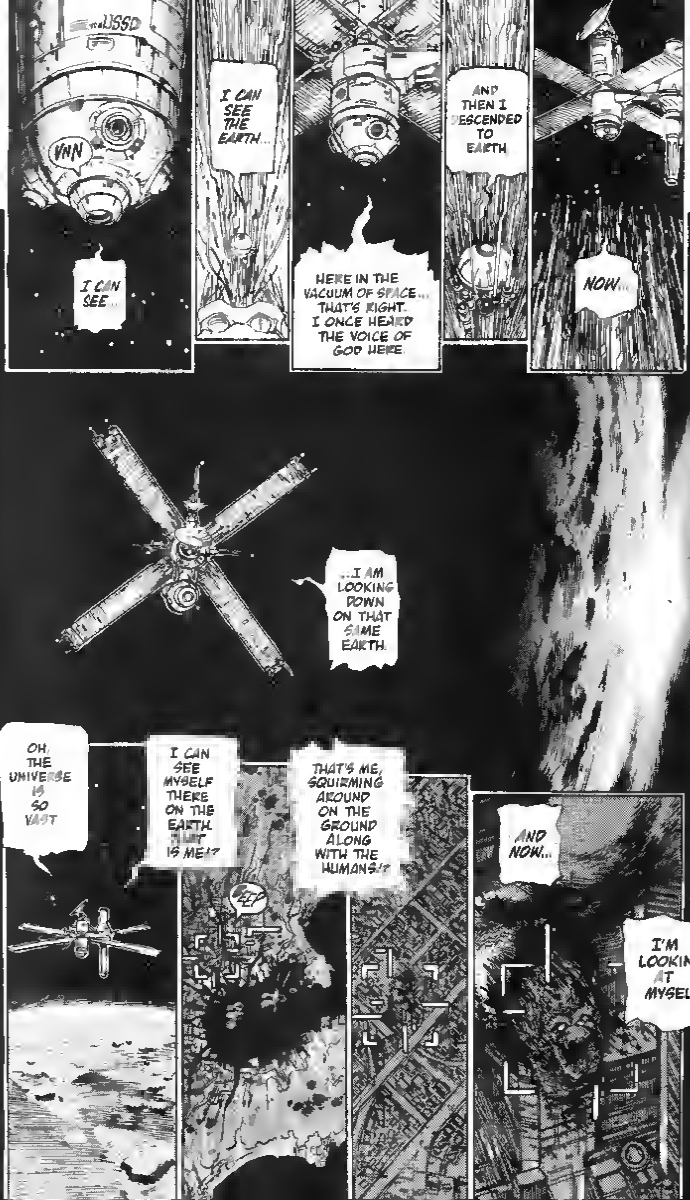
MR MASON!! HE'S BROKEN INTO THE MAIN COMPUTER HERE AGAIN!!
WHAT AM I AFTER? HEH HEH HEH, HEH HEH
♪ NYAAH NYAH NYAH NYAAH NYAH ♪ I'M NOT GONNA TELL YOU NOTHIN'♪
WHO THE HELL ARE YOU!?
WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU AFTER!?
WANT ME TO TELL YOU MASON?! THEN GO UP TO THE ROOF OF GENOM TOWER AND LICK OLD MAN QUINCY'S ASS! THEN I'LL TELL YOU!
WAH-HAH-HAH-HAH-HAH! YEE-HEE-HEE-HEE!!
MPH!
WH... (WHAT'S SO FUNNY!?)
BY THE WAY, MASON!! I'VE GOT SOME INFORMATION YOU MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN!
THE DATA IS RIGHT HERE! THE OLD MAN IS
Pffft
!?
I'VE BEEN PRYING AROUND GENOM'S DATA BANK AND I FOUND SOMETHING VERY INTERESTING!!
MASON!!
AH!
CH-CHAIRMAN QUINCY!?
I KNOW YOU CAN'T WAIT FOR THAT OLD BASTARD TO DIE! WELL, SORRY, PAL, BUT HE'S NOT GONNA DIE FOR QUITE A WHILE, I CAN GUARANTEE THAT!

DESTROY THAT THING, MASON !!
I DON'T CARE IF YOU HAVE TO DESTROY ALEX ALONG WITH IT !!
BUT, SIR !!
JUST A MOMENT! ALEX IS--
DON'T MAKE ME SAY THE SAME THING TWICE
BEE!
ZZT ZZZZTT ZZZ
MR MASON !?
HEAR ME HUMANS! I AM THE TRUE MESSIAH !
RMBL RMBL RMBL RMBL
AND THIS DISTRICT IS NOW COMPLETELY UNDER MY CONTROL!
THERE IS NO POINT IN RESISTING, FILTHY APES!!
HAVE YOU BEEN ABLE TO CONTACT THE PEOPLE INSIDE ?!
IT'S USELESS, SIR. THERE'S TOO MUCH ELECTRO-MAGNETIC INTERFERENCE
WHO'S IN CHARGE HERE !?
Tak-Tak-Tak
AND WHO ARE YOU !?
CAPTAIN BOILER OF THE AIR AND SPACE DEFENSE FORCE !!

AT GENOM'S REQUEST WE ARE GOING TO DESTROY ALEX!!
EVACUATE THE ENTIRE AREA!
IMMEDIATELY!!
WE'RE GOING TO USE A SATELLITE WEAPON!!
WHAT DID YOU SAY!?
JUST TO DESTROY THAT THING!?
SURELY THERE MUST BE SOME OTHER WAY!
THERE ARE HOSTAGES IN THERE AND MY MEN--
THERE'S NO TIME!!
WE'LL ADJUST THE BLAST CAREFULLY AND AIM RIGHT FOR THE COMPUTER SO THERE WON'T BE ANY CASUALTIES AND RESTORATION LIKE THIS--
WE HAVEN'T GOT A MOMENT TO LOSE
NOW GET THIS STRAIGHT!! IF THAT THING--
!
SOMEBODY'S WATCHING ME
WHO!?
WHERE!?
ABOVE!!


WHAT THE HELL ARE YOU!?
THERE!!
!
NO. NO!!

DOOM
SHA
RMBL-RMBL-RMBL
GGGRRAAGGG
WHAT!?
CONTROL!! WHERE'S THE SECOND ROUND--
IT'S OVER ALREADY?
?
THERE SHE GOES!!
NO NEED TO WORRY! THE LASER CANNON CAN'T BE FIRED WITHOUT THE SPECIAL ACCESS CODES!! IF IT RECEIVES ANY COMMANDS WITHOUT THE CODES, IT LOCKS AUTOMATICALLY AND THE LASER CANNON CAN'T BE USED UNLESS IT'S UNLOCKED MANUALLY.
SO THEN WE CAN'T USE IT EITHER!! WHAT THE HELL DID YOU COME HERE FOR ANYWAY!?
WHAT!? THEN THAT MEANS--
HE ACCESSED THE SATELLITE WEAPON.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I CAN SEE...
I CAN SEE THE EARTH...
HERE IN THE VACUUM OF SPACE... THAT'S RIGHT. I ONCE HEARD THE VOICE OF GOD HERE.
AND THEN I DESCENDED TO EARTH.
NOW...
...I AM LOOKING DOWN ON THAT SAME EARTH.
OH, THE UNIVERSE IS SO VAST
I CAN SEE MYSELF THERE ON THE EARTH. BUT IT IS MEA?
THAT'S ME, SQUIRMING AROUND ON THE GROUND ALONG WITH THE HUMANS?!
BEEP
AND NOW...
I'M LOOKING AT MYSELF.

WHAT A SMALL BEING I AM AND THE HUMANS TOO NO, EVEN THE EARTH ITSELF
WHAT AM I DOING HERE ?
O GOD
I CAN'T--
!
O GOD !!
PLEASE SHOW ME THE WAY!
WHO ARE YOU !?
I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU ARE, OR WHY YOU DID THIS
BUT THAT DOESN'T MATTER ANYMORE
ALL I KNOW IS, I CAN'T LET YOU LIVE

ALEX'S CORE HAS BEEN RIGGED WITH A BOMB
I'VE BEEN PUSHING THE SWITCH, BUT THE ELECTROMAGNETIC INTERFERENCE IS TOO STRONG, SO IT HASN'T BLOWN UP. BUT AT THIS RANGE...
WAIT !!
PLEASE, WAIT!! I--
BAM
MAX!?
JEENA!!
STAY AWAY, JEENA !!
SHIP EXT
ALEX
KLIK
IT'S GOING TO EXPLODE !!

DOOM
D-DOOM
DOO
GWAH!!
MY BRAIN !!
GGRROO
WWRR

MY BRAIN... IS BURSTING!! MY BRAIN IS FLYING APART!!
MY CONSCIOUSNESS-- MY SPIRIT!!-- IS DISINTEGRATING!!
I'VE GOT TO MOVE MY SPIRIT INTO SOMETHING QUICKLY
QUICKLY
RMBL-RMBL-RMBL
!
MAX...
AP
!

HA, HA, HA, HA, HA! HERE'S A LIVING BRAIN WITH A BUILT IN SOCKET!!
EH!?
SHA
SSSHHHAAA
AHHHH
SOMETHING'S ENTERING MY BRAIN!?
WHAT THE--!?

TO THE EARTH !
REALLY!?
I AM INDEED THE MESSIAH !!
SO ?
HOW MUCH YOU WANT FOR THE "STUFF"?
ARE THESE
MEMORIES!?
COMPARED WITH THIS, MY OLD BODY IS A PILE OF SCRAP !
THIS IS GOOD-BYE
ALEX

STOP IT!!!
JEENA!!
BAMM
TUMP TUMP TUMP
LEON!
HELP! HURRY!
THIS THING IS.. RAPING MY BRAIN!!

BUDDA BUDDA BUDDA
!!
AGHHHH
BUDDA BUDDA BUDDA
SPLAT
JEENA!!
.....
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT!?
YOU'RE LATE, MAN!

JEENA!
I KNOW, I KNOW CAN IT WAIT?
THE HOSTAGES WHO CAME DOWN IN THE ELEVATOR ARE ALL SAFE.
THE WOMAN WHO WAS SHOT IS GOING TO MAKE IT, TOO
HMPH.
THEY'RE ALL GENOM EMPLOYEES ANYWAY, RIGHT?
LEON...

YOU SAVED ME THANKS.
PAT
YOU'VE GOT TO STOP MAKING WOMEN WAIT ALL THE TIME

I WANT IT DONE BEFORE ANYTHING ELSE!
KEEP THE MAIN COMPUTER COMPLETELY ISOLATED UNTIL IT'S BEEN CHECKED THOROUGHLY
USE SUBCOMPUTER NUMBER TWO
THAT'S RIGHT!
ONCE YOU'VE GOT ALL THE DATA TOGETHER, SEND IT TO MY OFFICE
.....
Tok
Tok
SHKKAASH
VIPP!
DAMN!!
VNN

THE END